

MRS. VAN DINE IS IN NEWARK GATHERING SOME EVIDENCE

To Use at Trial of Her Son One of the Chicago Car- barn Murderers.

Boy Tainted With Insanity and Not Responsible.

Sister in Home for Feeble Minded and Uncle Died a Lunatic--Family Formerly Lived in New- ark and is Connected With Promi- nent People--The Mother Talks To the Advocate.

Mrs. Frank Van Dine, of 777 Springfield avenue, Chicago, mother of the youthful desperado, Harvey Van Dine, now under arrest in that city charged with being an accomplice and principal with Peter Niedermeyer, Gustav Marx and Emil Roeski in seven murders and numerous holdups, among their crimes being the famous car barn holdup and murder in Chicago last August, was in Newark Saturday and will remain here until probably Monday night, when she will return to her home in Chicago. The object of Mrs. Van Dine's visit is to collect evidence to be used in her son's trial, and the nature of the defense to be put up by young Van Dine is revealed by the character of the evidence being secured here by his mother. The defense in his case will undoubtedly be hereditary insanity or derangement, and valuable data as to her son's antecedents has been secured by Mrs. Van Dine, the nature of which will tend to disconcert the prosecution when revealed.

Mrs. Van Dine was seen by a representative of the Advocate this morning, and after much persuasion was induced to talk for publication. She said:

"I had intended to prosecute this search alone, and that it should be done absolutely on the quiet. You are the first reporter to whom I have talked since my son's arrest. The reporters of the Chicago newspapers literally hounded me, and it was absolutely impossible for me to go on the street unless veiled on account of impertinent and audacious kodak operators."

"Now, I have never said a word to any reporter before today, and the only reason I talk to you is because I feel that at least here, what I say will not be garbled and censored by the Chicago police department."

"Every statement made by the Chicago papers came from the police department and was colored to make the case worse against the prisoners. Understand that I am not condoning any of the crimes charged against my son, nor denying that he committed them. I am not here for that purpose, but to get evidence that the boy is tainted with insanity and could never have been in his right mind to have done, what we all know alas, that he did."

"In fact should he have killed a dozen men before my very eyes, while I

should recoil with horror at his crimes, I could not change the relations existing between him and me. I am his mother and will remain with him to the end, whatever that may be."

"The Van Dine family came from Holland 250 years ago, and they have records covering this entire period. Many years ago one branch of the family came to this country, from New York, and settled in Newark. My husband's father was James Harvey Van Dine, my son being named for his grandfather. James Van Dine served in the Mexican war, and received a bullet through his lung, which later developed into consumption, and he died here in Newark in 1851, and with his wife is buried in Cedar Hill cemetery. A brother of James, William Van Dine, was for years confined in the Licking county infirmary as a helpless lunatic, and perished in the fire which destroyed the insane wing of this institution more than 25 years ago."

"My husband, Frank Van Dine, was born in Newark, and when five years of age was taken into the family of John Showman, who reared him until he was 19 years of age. He learned the trade of marble cutting and then went to Pittsburgh, where he worked for a long time, going to Chicago in 1878, marrying me the following year. We have three children, Viola the eldest having been for the past 16 years an inmate of the Illinois Home for the feeble minded. Harvey is next, aged 21, and Frank is 19. The latter is employed in the day time, and studying under the auspices of the Chicago Y. M. C. A. at night preparing himself to enter college next year."

"My son's attorneys, when they heard the circumstances of his family history had no hesitancy in assuring me that he had a good case, and although they refused to take either of the others, agreed to act in defense of my son."

Mrs. Van Dine is a woman of education, refinement and culture. As a matter of fact she is nearly heartbroken over her sorrow, but bears up bravely when speaking of it. The Van Dine family was connected with the most prominent people in this community, the late Hon. Isaac Smucker and Andrew Smucker having been great uncles of the youthful Chicago murderer, while General Charles Woods and Judge William B. Woods, formerly a justice on the Supreme bench of the United States, were also relatives."

THE WEATHER

Washington, Dec. 19.—The weather indications for Ohio: Rain tonight; warmer in the eastern portion; Sunday, fair and colder, except snow in the northern portion.

TO OUST

THE HOCKING VALLEY RAILROAD FROM ITS CHARTER

Is the Object of a Suit Commenced at Columbus by the Attorney General Friday Night.

Columbus, O., Dec. 19.—Suit to oust the Hocking Valley railroad company from its charter was filed in the circuit court last evening by Attorney General Sheets, it being alleged in the petition that the company is endeavoring to create a monopoly of the coal business in the Hocking valley in violation of the anti-trust law.

The suit was brought at the request of Virgil P. Kline, of Cleveland, and E. C. Morton, of Columbus, representing the Johnson Coal Mining company. The petition avers that the Hocking Valley railroad company owns a controlling interest in the Buckeye Coal and Railroad company, the Toledo and Ohio Central railroad company, Kanawha and Michigan railroad company, Zanesville and Western railroad company, and the Sunday Creek Coal company. It is also claimed that the Hocking Valley organized the Continental Coal company for the purpose of taking over the mines of the independent coal operators in the Hocking valley and that the bonds issued by the Continental company were guaranteed by the Toledo and Ohio Central company.

It is claimed that the control of these properties is for the purpose of monopolizing the coal business in the Hocking Valley and that in furtherance of its plan the Hocking Valley company has discriminated against the independent operators by refusing them transportation.

SURPRISING

Results from a Postmortem Examination—The Interest of Surgeons Excited by the Case.

Brookings, S. D., Dec. 19.—Surprising results have developed at a postmortem examination of the body of Wm. Allison, 21 years old, who died after 10 days' illness, apparently from inflammation of the stomach. The young man several times during his illness said he had been poisoned, and at the request of himself and family, a postmortem was held.

The surgeons were astonished to find upon making an incision, that there was a most peculiar displacement of the internal organs. The operators found an opening through the diaphragm and dilated stomach, nearly three times its normal size, completely filling the left side of the thoracic cavity, taking the place of the left lung. There was no left lung, but a small rudimentary lung about one inch thick and three inches square.

Lying under the stomach was found the ascending and descending colon, and with the appendix attached to its usual place on the lower end of the colon, and also in the thoracic cavity. The head was located on the lower right side of the thoracic cavity, extending parallel and next to the spinal column between the second and fifth ribs. The right lung was not normal. There is no question but the anatomical malformations of the different organs had existed from infancy. The young man had never been ill and this is the reason his peculiar condition had never been disclosed. The case is believed to be one of the most remarkable in the history of surgery.

Zanesville Divorces.

Zanesville, O., Dec. 19.—Two divorces have been granted by Judge E. M. Kennedy.

In the case of Katherine D. Pearl v. J. Robert Pearl, a divorce was granted the plaintiff and her maiden name of Katherine Keene was restored. The former Mrs. Pearl is one of the most prominent society women of Zanesville. Her husband was formerly the leading merchant tailor of this city. Extreme cruelty was the ground.

In the case of George L. Adams against Julia Adams a decree of divorce was granted and the custody of the children was given to the petitioner.

Edwin Warfield, governor-elect of Maryland, has been everything from a farmer's hired man to a banker. He is rich.

LARGEST Suspension Bridge in the World is Formally Opened Today.

New York, Dec. 19.—The new Williamsburg suspension bridge, the second material tie to bind Manhattan and her sister borough, Brooklyn, more closely together, was formally opened this afternoon by appropriate exercises in which the leading officials of the greater city participated. The opening was attended with great eclat and by thousands of people. Shortly after 12 o'clock Mayor Low, with the officials of Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond boroughs, left the Manhattan end of the bridge and walked to the center of the structure, where they were met by the officials of Brooklyn and Queens. Formal greetings were exchanged, then all passed on to a platform on the Brooklyn plaza, where the exercises of the day were conducted. It is the largest suspension bridge in the world.

MARRIAGE PREFERRED

To Suicide When Members of This Unique Club Move to Decide.

Findlay, O., Dec. 19.—The existence of an organization among the young people of Benton Ridge, under the laws of which they are compelled to marry or commit suicide, was made known yesterday by Lester Williams, of that town. Meetings are held at frequent intervals and straws are drawn. The member pulling the short one must choose between matrimony or death within a week. Williams says the club was formed about a year ago. While there have been about a dozen marriages there have been no suicides.

MR. RICHARDSON FORMER NEWARK MAN ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT

Of the Erie Railroad at a Meeting of the Directors in New York on Friday.

New York, Dec. 19.—Directors of the Erie railroad met and promoted a number of officials.

George F. Brownell, general solicitor of the company, succeeds Daniel Willard as first vice president. Mr. Willard going over the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad as second vice president.

G. A. Richardson, now secretary, was elected second vice president, a position which has been vacant for some time. Mr. Richardson will continue to hold his present position as assistant to the president.

David Bosman succeeds Mr. Richardson as secretary and J. E. Packer becomes assistant secretary.

P. Blauvelt, general auditor, was elected comptroller, a new office, and C. H. Crawford succeeds to the vacancy.

These promotions will take effect on January 1, 1904.

The vacancy at the head of the executive committee was not filled.

Mr. G. A. Richardson the new second vice president is a former resident of Newark, having lived here when he was serving as secretary to General Superintendent J. W. Graham. He is well known among the railroad men in Newark, and was very popular with them while here, and he and his family were also prominent in Newark society circles.

All his friends will rejoice in Mr. Richardson's promotion.

New German Cable.

Washington, Dec. 19.—This first link in the new cable between the United States and Germany has just been completed and as a reward the company will receive \$178,000 for the year 1903 from the German government. According to a report just received from United States Consul General Guenther, at Frankfurt, the line was brought to land in the Azores and communication with Borkum successfully established. The whole cable must be completed by Jan. 1, 1905, when the line is expected to be in working order at the New York end. If it is finished on time, the German Atlantic Telegraph company will receive another handsome bonus from the Kaiser's government.

Washington Conferences

Washington, Dec. 19.—Rumor reached the president this morning that Senator Gorman was lining up his forces against the Panama treaty, and although assurances had been previously brought to the executive that at least 12 or 13 Democrats were sure to vote for the measure when the time came, the report was sufficiently disquieting to cause a hurry call to be sent to several of the Republican leaders and resulting in conferences in the president's office reminding one of the grave days of the Spanish war.

JURY May Return Indictment by Tonight at Rising Sun.

Rising Sun, Ind., Dec. 19.—The grand jury which is investigating the murder of Miss Elizabeth Gillespie, began the work of finishing its business this morning. A few witnesses were recalled and the jury then went into a deliberation of the case. Prosecutor Wilber, and his assistants talked the matter over with the jury and discussed the testimony. It is the opinion that the jury will adjourn until Monday and then make its final report. There is a chance, however, that one indictment may be rendered before night.

IN CONGRESS

Washington, Dec. 19.—The House adjourned at 12:25 this afternoon not to meet again till after the Christmas holidays.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Both Houses of Congress will take a recess this afternoon over the Christmas holidays, to meet again on January 4. Including the extra session, which began on November 9th, Congress has been assembled in Washington six weeks, or 36 working days. Speeches have been made covering 800 pages of the Congressional Record. In the House \$420 bills have been introduced, while 2824 have been presented in the Senate.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Senator Quay made his appearance on the floor of the Senate today, the first time this session. Mr. Gorman offered a resolution instructing the postmaster general to send to the Senate a report on the irregularity of the postoffice department made by Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, and that of Holmes Conrad and Chas. J. Bonaparte on the Tulloch charges. Mr. Gorman stated that these reports had already been sent to the committee of the House. The discussion ended in Mr. Quay objecting and the resolution going over.

Remarkable Operation.

Coshocton, O., Dec. 19.—Joseph Robertson underwent a remarkable surgical operation for neuralgia of the face. Local physicians, assisted by a Columbus surgeon, chiseled through the jawbone and removed the dental nerve.

CONSUL DAVIS.

Washington, Dec. 19.—The navy department has received word of the sailing yesterday of the San Francisco from Beirut to Alexandria with Consul Davis, who was recently insulted by the local police at the latter place, aboard.

DEPOSITION

Of Harry P. Scott Taken in the Bank Case Friday Before a Notary Public.

The deposition of Harry P. Scott in the bank case was taken before a notary Friday.

In his deposition Scott stated that after Harry J. Hoover had confessed to him that he was a defaulter, it was agreed between them that Scott should admit him to the bank after hours, so that he could repay the money without the fact of his shortage becoming known to the officials and thereby jeopardizing Hoover's other position.

On the first occasion Hoover brought with him \$6980, for which Scott wrote nine certificates of deposit, signing them as assistant cashier or teller. Scott states that at that time he believed this amount covered Hoover's shortage in its entirety, and also that Hoover himself marked the stubs on the certificate register "Paid."

Scott also testified that it was not until the following November that he became aware of the greater extent of Hoover's shortage.

Mother Starved.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Geneva Flaherty, of Duluth, while on her way to Mauston, Wis., her brother's home, died on a Northern Pacific train here, as it was entering the city. The coroner's verdict was that death was due to starvation and exposure. Mrs. Flaherty was accompanied by four children, whose ages range from fifteen months to ten years. Her husband is in the Duluth jail on a charge of non-support, and it was while struggling against ill health and poverty to provide food for her children that she starved herself to such an extent that death followed.

Pope Leo's Fortune.

Rome, Dec. 19.—It is learned that the late Pope Leo, in addition to the fortune which he left with Cardinal Gottini for the present pope, also left a list of the countries and bishops which were the best givers. France leads the list, with America second, Austria and Spain and Ireland following in that order.

SEVEN LIVES LOST.

Seventeen Injured in Fire at a Girl's School in The South.

Sixty Students Compelled to Leap From the Windows.

A Number Sustaining Injuries That Will Prove Fatal--Rush Hall at Walden University, Nashville, Burned Late on Friday Night.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 19.—Rush hall, the girls' dormitory of Walden university, named in honor of Rev. R. S. Rust, of Cincinnati, burned last night. Seven lives were lost and seventeen persons were injured. The building was four stories high and valued at \$20,000. The flames are supposed to have originated in the laboratory and spread with such rapidity that nearly all of the sixty students were compelled to leap from the windows. The dead are:

Stella Addison, of Port Gibson, Miss. Adele Christian, of Greensboro, La. Sallie Dade, Hattiesburg, Miss. Mattie Lee Moore, Huntsville, Ala. Lula A. Terry, McMinnville, Tenn. Minnie C. Johnson, Hattiesburg, Miss.

Cora Bryant, of Cleveland, Miss., who was ill on the fourth floor, has not been accounted for, and it is supposed that she perished in the flames.

The injured are in different hospitals. It is probable that the injuries sustained by some of them will prove fatal.

The injured are:
Lady E. Knox, Greenville, Miss.

Minnie Alston, Covington, Tenn. Bertha Monford, Chicago. Tulla Millen, Covington, Tenn. Ernestine McCleary, Ferdinand, Ind.

Leona Miller, St. Louis. Mannie Harris, Maysville, Ky. Mannie Booze, Clarksdale, Miss. Victoria Miller, Anchorage, Ky. Annie Ham, Birmingham, Ala. Ellen Vaughn, Columbus, Ky. Blanche Burr, Chicago. Janie Douglas, Huntsville, Ala. Bessie Elliver, Tuscaloosa, Ala. Frankie Walker, Huntsville, Ala. Lulu Cavette, Macon, Miss.

The fire broke out about 11 o'clock in the top of the building, which was four stories high, and without fire escapes. It was occupied by about 60 students, who were asleep when the alarm was given. The wildest panic ensued, the women and girls rushing screaming to the windows, from which they jumped in droves, the dead and injured lying in heaps where they fell, to be fallen upon by those following them from the flaming windows. Every ambulance in the city was soon on the scene and the injured were hurried to hospitals.

WRIGHT BROS.

Who Successfully Tested Their Flying Machine Leave for Home at Dayton, Ohio.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 19.—No further test was made Friday by Orville and Wilbur Wright of their flying machine at Kitty Hawk, on the Carolina coast. The news of their successful trial on Thursday caused them to be besieged with messages from all quarters of the country. They are not pleased that the matter was made public at this time and refuse to give out further information regarding their machine of the time of its next trial. It can be stated however, no more tests will be made until after the holidays as the brother inventors leave today for Dayton, Ohio, where they will pass Christmas week with their father, Bishop Wright, of the United Brethren church.

They will return to Kitty Hawk in January, and make further experiments, for while no mishap occurred Thursday some minor defects were revealed, because it was really only the trial trip of the new machine.

Dayton, O., Dec. 19.—The following is a description of the flying machine constructed by the Wright brothers, of this city:

It is distinctly a flying machine. It has no gas bag or balloon attachments of any kind, but is supported by a pair of acrocyrcles, or wings, having an area of 510 square feet. It measures a little more than forty feet from tip to tip and the extreme fore and aft dimension is about 20 feet. The weight including the body of the aviator is slightly over 700 pounds. The machine is driven by a pair of aerial screw propellers placed just behind the main wings. The power is supplied by a gasoline motor designed and built by the Messrs. Wright in their own shop. It is of the four-cycle type and has four cylinders. The pistons are four inches in diameter and have a four-inch stroke. At the speed of 1,200 revolutions a minute the engine develops 16 brakehorse power, with a consumption of a little less than 10 pounds of gasoline per hour. The weight, including carburetor and fly wheel, is 182 pounds. The wings, though apparently very light, have been tested and more than six times the regular load, and it is claimed for the entire structure that it is a practical machine, capable of withstanding the shock of repeated landings, and not a more toy which must be entirely rebuilt after each flight.

Panama Recognized.

Washington, Dec. 19.—The Peruvian minister informed the state department this morning that his country had recognized the new Panama republic.

STRIKE

Of Livery Drivers in Chicago Continue Today--Employers Meet to Fortify Their Defenses.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—With nearly seventy-five funerals to be held in Chicago today, the livery drivers' strike continues. There is no sign of peace between the employers and employees. The employers held a meeting this morning and fortified their defense against the unionists. At headquarters of the teamsters' union the striking livery drivers gathered and reported to their leaders that not a hearse had gone to the cemetery since yesterday morning.

The most serious demonstrations since the strike began occurred this morning at the funeral of Mrs. Joseph V. Ceek, who was murdered a few days ago. Her remains, accompanied only by her two children, were hurriedly driven from the residence to St. Proculus church. In anticipation of trouble a detachment of police had been sent to the church where a crowd of about 500 men and boys, many of them strike sympathizers, had gathered. When the lead wagon drove up curses and cat calls were hurled at the driver and the undertaker's assistants. The coffin was borne into the church with much difficulty, the police being compelled to charge the mob. Only the two children were permitted to enter the edifice, and in their presence the priest conducted the service, while the police remained outside guarding the door. The service over, four police bore the coffin between a double file of officers to the dead wagon, which drove away at a rattling pace to the cemetery.

OLD SONGS DO NOT ROUSE

Indiana, Pa., Dec. 19.—Surrounded by a small company of neighbors, who sing some of the old "buckwheat songs," Mrs. Leah Keith, who claims to be 112 years of age, is dying at her home near Griceville.

Mrs. Keith, who is of Pennsylvania Dutch extraction, has lived in this county for 50 years, yet has never been in the county seat. She never saw a railroad train until about four years ago. In her young womanhood she was a great lover of music, and in her own community was considered quite an artist in the "buckwheat notes." Of late years she has fallen into a stupor on several occasions and nothing would rouse her until several of her neighbors would appear and sing again the old-time songs. Modern tunes and hymns did not appeal to her. She has a granddaughter who is a grandmother. Upon the occasion of her last birthday Judge Harry White presided over her with a handsome rocking chair. It is thought that she will not survive her present illness.

LONG SLEEP

Taken by a New York Baby Which Seems Perfectly Well and is in Fine Condition.

New York, Dec. 19.—After having slept for twenty-four days, the nine weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Slatov of No. 3789 Third avenue, has been awakened by physicians. The sleeping of this infant has proved a mystery to the medical profession. The sleep was natural, respiration being regular and the pulse strong.

The child when awakened appeared perfectly healthy and fat.

A Horned Owl.

Alderson, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Wm. T. Miller killed a horned owl Friday, which measured four feet from tip to tip. A large steel trap and chain were fastened to one leg of the bird, and it was evident that it had been carrying the load for some time, since the wounds inflicted by the jaws of the trap were entirely healed. The owl had been in snipe of the handicap, to satisfy its appetite, for it has recently been making heavy inroads on chicken yards.

WOMEN

Sat on Jury in Juvenile Case at Chicago--Mother is Given Child at a Trial.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—For the first time in the history of the United States, as far as local records show, a jury composed of six women sat on a case before Judge Honore in the juvenile court here yesterday.

The jury passed on a petition to have Mary McGann, aged 8, declared a delinquent and place in an institution.

The mother of the girl, Miss Ann McGann, declared that her child had been with her all her life, and would die if taken away from her. The jury sympathized with the mother and returned a verdict that mother and daughter should be sent to Dunning.

The verdict was concurred in by a jury of six men in order to make the verdict legal.

Somerset Man Injured.

Somerset, O., Dec. 19.—Frank Konler's arm was nearly torn off and he received serious internal injuries by the bursting of an empty wheel in Behren's wagon factory. He is in a critical condition.

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NEW PHONES

Installed by the Newark Independent Telephone Company from Dec. 1 to Dec. 15.

The Newark Independent Telephone Company installed the following telephones between December 1 and December 15. Cut out this list and paste it in the directory that hangs by your phone:

Red 7561 Baker, Edith, res., 13 West Crechard St.
1047, Boyer, J. M., res., 48 Clinton St.
White 3091, Bratton, Peter, res., North Buena Vista St.
803, Broome, B. F., res., 110 North St.
White 8132, Bryson, Lulu, res., 48 Clinton St.
259, Carnahan, J. N., grocery, 16 West Main St.
1049, Christman, Al, res., 169 South Central Ave.
Red 8541, Commercial Hotel, 28 South Fifth St.
Red 7571, Dean, J. H., res., 61 Riley St.
White 5981, Deins, Robert M., res., 104 South Second St.
852, Fisher, G. S., res., 14 German St.
760, Follett, Edgar, res., 166 Hudson Ave.
Red 7621, Frenier, J. L., res., 100 Hoover St.
860, Frisbie, Sherman, res., 123 Malcolm St.
White 7521, Gosnell, Katie E., res., 113 Ash St.
359, Harvey, Harry, res., 295 Elmwood Ave.
White 7022, Hatch, Lena, res., 44 Walnut St.
845, Helmke, Perry, res., 42 North Pine St.
805, Heib, T. J., 5 and 10c store, West Park Place.
Red 8551, Heib, T. J., res., 227 Eddy St.
White 7932, Hopley, William, res., 215 West Church St.
709, Hilleary, M. D., res., 483 Maiden St.
Red 7631, Hobbs, F. J., res., 108 Dewey Ave.
Red 8912, Hughes, Nellie, res., 213 Eoylston St.
Red 8581, Jacobs, Nellie, res., 16 Conly Ave.
White 5982, Leedy, J. F., res., 23 Holiday St.
Red 8092, McDaniel, Flora, res., North Buena Vista St.
White 7032, McFarland, W. M., res., German St.
White 6061, McCleery, Dr. S. H., office, 21 1-2 West Main St.
Red 7641, Mannion, J. W., res., 122 West Church St.
804, Miller, Dr. D. H., Jr., res., 140 West Main St.
Red 7821, Miller, J. W., res., 117 North Sixth St.
857, Murphy, J. T., res., 175 South Fifth St.
237, Murray, C. E., res., Avalon blk.
234, Nagle, Marcus, saloon, 115 South Sixth St.
Red 3531, Newark Merchandise Co., 20 West Main St.
Red 6502, Norris, E. O., res., 111 Moult St.
White 5751, Owens, W. H., res., 18 Riley St.
White 7922, Prior, H. H., res., 64 North St.
759, Rawlings, E. M., res., 17 Jefferson St.
851, Roeser Decorative Co., 29 South Fifth St.
Red 9491, Rossel, Harry, res., 60 Prospect St.
Red 1521, Seabold, J. W., res., 405 Andover St.
Red 3541, Stephan, A. S., res., Cor. Roe and Main Sts.
Red 8561, Stewart, Clifford, res., 128 North Ninth St.
767, Trace, L. B., res., 33 1-2 West Main St.
850, Vanatta, E. G., res., Hudson Park Place.
White, 4752, Walker, D. A., res., 565 Granville St.
754, Warman, H. C., res., 112 Chestnut St.
Red 6132, Weakley & Bros., saloon, 142 Union St.
1048, Wilkin, Chas., plumbing, 10 Union St.
White 7561, Wilson, H. E., res., 211 South Fifth St.
802, White & Co., grocery, 144 Cedar St.
353, Wintermute, W. C., res., 23 Fulton Ave.
Red 5992, Wood, H. C., res., 114 Valandingham St.
White 5842, Wylie, Opal, res., 44 North Cedar St.

Recent Changes.

998, Callahan, Jerry, res., 233 North Fifth St.
77, Hunter, Dr. L. J., office, 103 West Main St.
White 392, Johnson, Chas. S., res., 62 North Front St.
Red 7612, McCleery, Dr. S. H., res., 125 North Tenth St.
White 7192, Mitchell, Edward, res., 125 Mahelm St.
414, Voight, L. F., res., 43 Granville St.
430, Wells, J. V., saloon, 82 South Second St.
Red 3531, Newark Merchandise Co., changed from New York Racket Store.

Drink CONSUMERS Pure Beer.

A plant at Niagara Falls is taking nitrogen from the air by electrolysis, but not yet in commercial quantity.

Frank Brown, Jr., only son of a former governor of Maryland, proposes to go on the stage.

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LODGE NEWS

Odd Fellows

At the meeting of Newark lodge of Odd Fellows held on Monday evening, only routine business was transacted. The regular meeting of Mt. Olive Encampment No. 12 I. O. O. F., was held on Thursday evening. The Royal Purple degree was conferred on three candidates, and considerable other business of importance was transacted. At the meeting of Mt. Olive Encampment No. 12 I. O. O. F., held on Thursday evening, the amendment to the by-laws was adopted.

Daughters of Liberty.

The following officers were elected December 11 by Silver Star Council No. 8, Daughters of Liberty: Councilor—Mrs. Laura Bell Cooper. A. C.—Miss Irene Allison. V. C.—Mrs. Lee Onie Hartman. A. V. C.—Mrs. Fannie Haines. R. Sec.—Mrs. Carrie Miller. A. R. Sec.—Mrs. Bernice McCann. F. Sec.—Miss Katie Linn. Treasurer—Mrs. Kate Kunninger. Aide—Alice Downey. I. P.—Flora J. Sturman. O. P.—Mrs. Bell Grill. Trustee—Mrs. Laura Bell Cooper. Rep. to S. C.—Miss Mattie Redman. There will be no meeting of this Council until Jan. 8.

Masonic.

A special communication of Acme lodge, No. 554, F. & A. M., was held on Thursday night. There was a good attendance and the Fellow Craft and Master Mason's degrees were conferred on a number of candidates.

Work in all the regular Masonic bodies of the city is very brisk at present, and the indications are that the work will keep up all winter.

A special assembly of Bigelow Council No. 7, R. & S. M., was held on Wednesday night. There was a fine attendance of the members, and the Royal and Select Master's degree was also conferred on a large class of candidates. The work was followed by a fine banquet and a social time.

K. O. T. M.

At a meeting of Klondyke Tent No. 372 K. O. T. M., of Alexandria, held on last Monday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term, commencing January 1:

P. C.—C. N. Dismore. Com.—A. B. Harris. Lieut. Com.—Perry Hoover. R. K.—A. L. Priest. Chap.—Isaac Grubb. J. Surg.—F. M. Preston. Phys.—J. N. Wright. F. K.—Wesley Smith. Sent—H. J. Butt. M. A.—Dr. Burke. 1st M. G.—R. C. Frederick. 2nd M. G.—F. A. Moran. Picket—Archie Cramer.

Octagon Tent met in regular review last evening with a very good attendance. Several applications were received and accepted by the tent.

At the meeting held last evening it was decided to hold an open meeting on January 15, to which the public is invited; at this time the officers for the next six months will be installed.

Home Guards.

Newark Home No. 34 will hold its next meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 24. Let all members come early as that is Christmas eve and it may be well to be present as Santa may be with us. We also have initiation and other important business to transact. In last Saturday's issue there was a mistake. It should have read treasurer, James A. McFarland; secretary, Bertha Young.

American Protective Union. Newark Council No. 1, will hold its regular meeting on Monday evening, December 21, at the A. P. U. hall, Opera House block. All the members are requested to be present as there is important business to be transacted. A large class will also be taken into the mysteries of the three degrees of the order.

The Supreme Organizer, A. L. Simmons, has 20 new applications to be acted upon which he secured during the week.

B. P. O. E.

Newark Lodge, No. 391, B. P. O. E., in accordance with their usual custom, will keep open house on New Year's day at the club rooms, from 4 to 10 p. m. Each member of the lodge has the privilege of inviting a certain number of guests, to whom handsome invitations will be sent. The Auditorium orchestra will furnish the music, and refreshments will be served.

GO TO MUNSON'S

For Bargains in Pianos and Organs, 27 West Main street.

Wm. C. Whitney has given his king bull, Apache, to the Bronx Zoological Garden in New York. Apache has been monarch of the October mountain herd of buffalo since he was brought to Lenox from Wyoming four years ago. He weighs a ton and is over six feet high, with massive head and shoulders covered with a long mane. He is said to be the finest specimen in captivity.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c. dtf

The Reverie of Santa Claus

By P. J. TANSEY

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My pack is filled, my reindeer wait
Impatient for the rising moon
To light the road to Youngsterland.
On which I must be speeding soon.

My heart is filled with Christmas joy!
I laugh in once-a-year delight
To think what pleasure I shall bring
To countless boys and girls tonight.

Two griefs were mine, but long they're gone:
One that the bad, bad child must cry
On Christmas morn to rise and find
Empty the sock that I'd passed by.

But once I thought what good were games
And candies, picture books and toys
If I should blindly give them out
To cross, unruly girls or boys!

Who would grow good as Christmas came
If naughty Joe or sulky Sal
Were sure to get as good from me
As bright, obedient Sue and Hal?

My other woe was hard to bear,
Yet for it comfort soon I found—
It was that Christmas work did not
Employ me all the year around.

But somewhere in a book I read
That sameness is a trying care,
That too much sweetness ever cloy
And pleasures are the best when rare.

And what would hap to Easter day,
And to the Fourth's bing-bang and drum,
If every night through chimney pipe
Old Santa Claus should sneak- ing come?

No, no; I'll spoil no sport for these,
The children good who trust in me,
Though for the unbelievers had
I have no love, as they shall see.

Ho, here's the moon! Away, away,
With jingling bells and reins in hand!
Stretch to the gallop, Dash and Sweep,
Over the road to Youngsterland!

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Cold in the Head, Catarrh,

Sore Throat and Chest are instantly relieved and quickly cured by the use of Paracamp. Snuff up the nose, apply freely and rub in well. This soothing, healing, antiseptic remedy when applied opens the pores, stimulates the circulation, removes the congestion, kills the germs of Catarrh and soothes and heals the inflamed membranes quickly and surely. So don't allow your cold or Catarrh to "hang on." It may develop Pneumonia or Consumption. Paracamp is a safeguard and it should be kept in every home every day in the year. Remember every bottle is guaranteed to do what we claim. Sold only in 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Don't take any substitutes.

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EXCURSION NOTICES.

PAN HANDLE.

Low Fares to Oregon—January 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th, excursion tickets to Portland, Ore., account National Live Stock Association Meeting will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines. Particulars furnished upon application to Ticket Agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

Reduced Fares to New Orleans—Excursion tickets to New Orleans, La., account American Historical Society, and American Economic Society will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines, December 24th, 25th and 26th. For further information apply to Ticket Agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

HALF RATES TO COLUMBUS, OHIO.—On January 10 and 11, 1904, the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all local stations in Ohio to Columbus, Ohio, at rate of one fare for the round trip, account Inauguration of Governor Myron T. Herrick. Tickets will be good for return until January 13, 1904. For further information call on or address nearest Baltimore and Ohio Ticket Agent, or B. N. Austin, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

REDUCED RATES.—To points South, Southeast and Southwest.—Winter Tourist Tickets will be sold via Queen and Crescent Route and Southern Railway until April 30th, at reduced rates for the round trip with stop-over privileges. Tickets good returning until May 31, 1904. For rates, address W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A., Cincinnati, O.

Through to City of Mexico Without Change of Cars via Iron Mountain Route.

In elegant Pullman Sleeping Cars, leaving St. Louis 8:40 p. m., daily, via Laredo Gateway. Shortest and quickest line. Excursion tickets now on sale. For further information call on or address, A. A. Gallagher, D. P. A., No. 419 Walnut street, Cincinnati, O.

Through Pullman Sleeping Cars to California via Iron Mountain Route. Leaving St. Louis at 8:30 a. m. daily for Los Angeles, via "True Southern Route," also Tourist Sleeping Cars on this train for Los Angeles and San Francisco every Wednesday and Thursday. Best Winter Route to California. For further information call on or address, A. A. Gallagher, D. P. A., No. 419 Walnut street, Cincinnati, O.

HOLIDAY TRIPS

At Low Fares via Pennsylvania Lines. The Pennsylvania lines will inaugurate a new feature in reduced fare tickets for Holiday Trips this year by selling excursion tickets to all stations on those lines, instead of restricting them to 150 miles. Excursion tickets will be sold December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1903, and January 1st, 1904, good returning until January 4th, 1904. Consult J. L. Worth, Ticket Agent, Newark, O., for particulars.

MORE TERRITORY

Covered by Holiday Excursion Fares via Pennsylvania Lines. An open reduced fare will be in effect via Pennsylvania lines for Christmas and New Year holidays. Tickets will not be restricted to any distance, but will be sold December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1903, and January 1st, 1904, to any station on the Pennsylvania lines. This takes in Cleveland, Toledo, Chicago, Columbus, Cincinnati, Dayton, Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis and intermediate stations in Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. The customary reduction on certificate plan for teachers and students will cover the same territory. Full particulars may be ascertained by consulting Ticket Agents of the Pennsylvania lines.

John Dwight, a chemist, who died recently in New York, founded the Dwight school at Erwin, Tenn., for mountain whites of that state.

In the East Indies there are birds so large that they feed on small birds. In London the schools are so crowded that 60 pupils per teacher is the average.

Have You Seen

Our New Consignment of

Lewelsa Ware?

We have just received possibly the largest consignment of this beautiful ware that has ever come to Newark.

The tinting is perfect. The designs are original. The prices about one-half those of heretofore. Have a look at them before you finish your Christmas shopping.

ERNEST T. JOHNSON,
Druggist.

No. 10 Warden Hotel Block.

Notice to Prospective Piano Buyers.

I have the agency for one of the best pianos built. The Mathushek Piano is the only one built with an iron frame from which the wires are strung, doing



away with those heavy posts. This makes the piano much stronger and it will hold its tune for years. Another feature is the patented soft stop. One of these pianos can be seen at my residence. Call or let me have your order for the holiday trade. 26 N. Fifth St.

L. A. STARE.

New Phone No. 224.

DR. R. A. BARRICK DENTIST.

Three specialties, good advice, first class work, and moderate charges. If you want good work one trial is all I ask. Work and charge warranted to be satisfactory. Vitalized air administered for extracting teeth without pain. Office 19 1-2 North Third St., Newark, O.

DR. A. W. BEARD.

DENTIST.

Office Hours—3 to 11:30. 12:30 to 5 p. m. Up-to-date methods in dentistry. Filling, Crowning and Bridges Work and Plates of all kinds. All work guaranteed. Extracting a specialty, and as near painless as possible. Gas and vitalized air used when desired. 222 Granville street. Old phone 301. Office—First stairway north of Carroll's dry goods store, North Third street.

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C. E. DILLON. Variety Store, 35 S. Park Place For Toys.

We can't say too much about our Holiday line. We feel that we can't do it justice.

We want you to come and see it, not once, but several times. We don't care whether you come to buy or not, you will be just as welcome if you only come to look. If you haven't decided on what you intend to give, let us help you. We feel rather proud of the gifts we have collected, not those merely for show, but those that are sensible and useful.

We are going to try to have plenty of things going on in our holiday display for the amusement of you and the little folks. We hope to see you all often.

C. E. DILLON,
35 South Park Place.

For Xmas Gandies

It is the only place to buy the most delicious CHOCOLATES and BON.BONS in the city. Don't buy your Christmas Candies before you stop at

The Sparta Confectionery Co.

and see what we have. You will see delicious assorted

Home-Made Candies at 10c per lb.

We do not believe you have ever seen the like before.

Come and See What We Have for Christmas

Where ever you go to buy your candies taste them, then come to the Sparta and we will give you a half pound free as a sample. You can readily see the difference between the Home-made Candies we sell and those you buy elsewhere. You will make no mistake if you come to see us.

We Have Both Phones.

We take orders for School Candies at 8c per pound, made up of best candies.

We will have a half car load of Holly which we will give away before Christmas.

The Sparta Confectionery Company

West Side Public Square.

EAST NEWARK

Miss Zoa Shirley, of Johnstown, is stopping with Mrs. Bascom Evans. Gladys Locke is confined to the house on account of sickness. Mrs. Ed Ryan is quite sick with the grip. The Misses Flora Campbell and Dolores Pearl Winters are visiting friends in Madison township. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sidle, of Croton, are visiting friends here. Miss Sadie Franklin, of Fremont, will spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. Campbell has returned from a visit with friends at Dresden. Mrs. L. C. Lane, of Frazeysburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Montsomerly. Al Davis, of Columbus, is visiting friends.

Drink CONSUMERS Pure Beer. tt

MUNSON MUSIC CO. For Christmas presents. 27 West Main street.

BROKE HER ARM. Hebron, O., Dec. 19—Miss Cordelia Sharer fell and broke her left arm near the wrist Thursday. Miss Sharer is a cousin of Mrs. Joseph Atkinson, of Pataskala.

OBITUARY.

HERSCHEL SMITH. Summit Station, Dec. 19—Leroy Smith's little son, Herschel, died at 8 o'clock last night after 48 hours' illness with inflammation of the bowels aged 7 months. The funeral takes place at 10 o'clock Sunday, Rev. Mr. Gilruth officiating. Burial at Pataskala.

Criss Bros., undertakers, 53 E. Main st.

MUNSON MUSIC CO.

For Christmas presents. 27 West Main street.

NEW GROCERY OPENED.

Louis Amstutzler and company have opened a new grocery and meat market at 276 Wilson street. Your patronage solicited. Imported groceries carried in stock. 12-19 St.

MONEY TO LOAN.

If you want to BORROW MONEY on LONG TIME AND LOW INTEREST, with the right to pay it all off whenever you please or as fast as you please, call on Licking County Building and Savings Company, No. 14 N. Side Square. 12-12 eod

Fine Holly Wreaths, Carnations and Roses at Baldwin's Green Houses. 12-6

ABOUT PEOPLE

J. E. McGaw, of Granville, was in Newark Friday. Dr. Hundley, of Granville, was in Newark Friday. D. D. Horn, of Chatham, was in Newark Friday.

Mrs. Adele Burch, of Hebron, was in the city Saturday. J. B. James, of Columbus, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Lillian Aid, of Granville, was in the city on Saturday. Miss Mabel Phillips will return on Monday from Cincinnati.

Squire Johnson, of the Hotel Homer, was in Newark Friday. Mrs. Merritt Brown, of Hebron, was a Newark visitor on Saturday.

Misses Lillian and Bertha Latimer are spending the day in Columbus. Gilbert Walcott, of Columbus, was the guest of Frank Showman Friday.

Colonel Frank Tompkins, of Mt. Vernon, was in the city on Saturday. John Scanlon, Sr., of Shawnee, was called here by the death of a relative.

William Yearley, of New York, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Sarah Yearley.

Miss Amy Franklin and Miss Jessie King are spending the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Louise Jones is home from Washington, D. C., where she is in school.

Miss Helen Crane returned today from Baltimore, where she has been attending school.

Mr. J. D. Tewell, a prominent Democrat of Washington township, was in the city on Friday.

Miss Mary Neal returned home today from Wellesley and will spend the holidays with her parents.

Miss Helen Dunbar and Mr. Harry Starner, of Pittsburgh, were the guests of Miss Mary Cramer last evening.

Attorney J. V. Hillard is visiting his daughter, Gladys, who is attending the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Elizabeth Franklin, Mrs. David Thomas and Misses Elizabeth and Hazel Thomas spent Thursday in Columbus.

Miss Florence Parrish, who is a student at Shephardson college, will spend Sunday with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Neal.

Miss Mabel Phillips will arrive home Sunday from the Cincinnati College of Music to spend the holidays with her parents.

Mr. J. R. Cramer and daughters, Misses Maggie and Myrtle, of Carnegie, Pa., are the guests of Mr. Lewis Cramer and family.

Miss Dorothy Kibler, who is studying music in New York, will spend the Christmas week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kibler.

John Woolees and sister, Miss Emily Woolees, were called this morning to Mason City, Mason county, W. Va., by the death of their uncle, Morfield Grimm.

Mrs. Benjamin Franklin and Mrs. Harry P. Scott are visiting Mrs. Thad Montgomery in Coshocton. Master Benjamin Montgomery will return with them and spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Baker, of Jamestown, Ill., who have been visiting friends and relatives here for the past week, returned home on Friday, after having had a very pleasant visit.

Miss Grace Fulton returned home this morning from Chambersburg, Pa., where she has been attending school, and will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Fulton.

William P. Miller, one of the traveling representatives of the Continental Pink Tobacco trust, with headquarters in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., arrived in Newark at noon today to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Abram Miller, on Flory avenue.

THE COURTS

JUDGE SEWARD EXCUSES JURY FOR THE TERM.

Presented With Box of Cigars When Business Was Over—Court House News Items.

Real Estate Transfers.

Edward Hickey to Mary E. Grandstaff, part of lots 1634 and 1636 in Buckingham and Wilson's addition to Newark, \$1800.

John D. Lloyd and wife to Daniel W. Lewis, real estate in Alexandria, \$200. Simon Orr and Mary Orr to Wm. Neel, real estate in Licking township, \$975.

Marriage Licenses.

Thomas Coakley and Katie Barnhart. Chas. C. Rider and Anna E. McKim. Wm. Karns and Julia Grubb.

Drink CONSUMERS Pure Beer. tt

TODAY'S MARKETS.

Chicago, Dec. 19—Today's closing: May wheat 77 3-4; corn 43 3-4; oats, 34 3-8; pork \$11.95.

Pittsburg, Dec. 19—Today's cattle light, steady; sheep light, slow; hogs, 20 double decks; active.

BALTIMORE.

December 18.—Cash wheat: No 2 red 86 1-2c; No 2 red western 87 1-4c. Corn: new 48 1-8c; old 49 1-4c. Oats: No 2 white 40 1-2@41c; No 3 white 40@41 1-2c; No 2 mixed 39@39 1-2c.

EAST LIBERTY.

December 18.—Cattle—Rec light; market steady; choice cattle \$5 15; prime \$4 85@5; good \$4 60@4 75; tidy butchers \$4 10@4 40, fair \$4 40@3 30; heifers \$2 50@2 75; bulls, cows and stags \$1 50@3 50; fresh cows \$2 50@55; calves \$4@7.

Hogs—Receipts 30 loads; market active; prime heavy \$4 60@4 65, mediums \$1 60@4 65; Yorkers and pigs \$4 60.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply is light, the market is steady; prime wethers \$4 10@4 30; good mixed \$1 70@4; fair mixed \$3 25@3 60, choice lambs \$6 15@6 35; fair to good \$5 50@6; common \$4@4 15.

HAY, STRAW AND GRAIN.

Newark Buying Prices.

Week of December 14.

Hay, No. 1, baled, per ton, \$10.50 to \$11. Straw, baled, per ton, \$5. Corn, per bushel, \$1.00. Wheat, per bushel, \$1.00. Oats, per bushel, \$1.00.

Newark Poultry and Egg Market.

Wholesale Prices, furnished by Key-stone Commercial Co.

Week of December 14.

Turkeys, per pound, \$1.30. Chickens, per pound, \$0.70. Eggs, per dozen, \$2.80.

Newark Poultry and Egg Market.

Retail Prices for

Week of December 14.

Turkeys, per pound, \$1.30. Chickens, each, \$0.40 to \$0.50. Eggs, storage, per doz., \$3.00. Eggs, fresh country, per doz., \$2.50.

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FINE XMAS CANDIES

We have just received for the holiday trade large shipments of the following well known high grade candies:

RUBEL & ALLEGRETTI'S GUNTHER'S, FENWAY'S, LOWNEYS.

Our SATURDAY CANDY, a 50 cent grade of chocolates, we will sell from now until Christmas at 35 cents a lb. Don't forget to try it.

We are showing a large line of

Holiday Goods

That are new and up to date and will make fine presents suitable for ladies and gentlemen. Come in and make selections.

Remember we continue to handle

Stengers Cut Flowers

AT

HALL'S DRUG

STORE, 10 North Side.

Next to Interurban Station.



DIFFERENT MEN HAVE DIFFERENT FEELINGS.

It is as much your fault as your misfortune if you do not own a home. My plan would make you independent. You'd feel like a real man and would surely enjoy the best of life when your home was paid for—start now. City property on monthly payment. Small tracts of land near city, 7 to 30 acres, 20 a-c. and house, on payments. Farms of all sizes and qualities. Also have some of the best land the sun shines on in South Dakota, from \$5 to \$16 per acre, producing crops that cannot be excelled anywhere. Call and get a map and book free—do not buy until you have seen the property.

JESSE E. SNELLING, Rooms 25 and 26, Lansing Block, Newark, Ohio.

See to it before it is too late, that you have a policy in the Standard Accident Insurance Co. of Detroit, Mich. Rees R. Jones, Agent for Licking county. 12-8-12t

Fine Holly Wreaths, Carnations and Roses at Baldwin's Green Houses. 12-6

Read the Advocate want column.

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31 S. Park.



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BUY AT HOME

The holiday season is again at hand and the Christmas present problem is again to be solved, but the solution this year for Newark and Licking county people is or should be easier than it ever has been.
Never have the stores of this city taken on such a metropolitan appearance as they have this year, never have they been so well supplied with everything desirable in the holiday gift line.
One has but to visit the shops of the city to be impressed with the growth of the town as evidenced by the great improvement in the stores.
It is no longer necessary for one to go to Columbus or elsewhere to be able to buy the very latest or best article in any line of merchandise. What you want is to be found right here at home, and this is the place to buy it.
When one can do as well by purchasing goods at home as elsewhere, when he can buy what he wants at a price equal or lower than that offered elsewhere, it is certainly his duty to buy at home. The merchants of Newark have the goods and their prices are as low, if not lower, than prices for similar goods in other places.
If you spend your money in Newark you have a fair chance of getting at least a part of it back, but if it is taken to another city, that prospect becomes exceedingly remote.
Buy of the merchants of Newark, the men whose advertisements are to be read in The Advocate. They are the live, hustling men of this community. Show them that their purchases of large and up-to-date holiday stocks is appreciated. Don't go away from town to buy.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY.



SPEAKER CANNON IN ACTION.
"Uncle Joe" Cannon's charity for the shortcomings of men reaches far and forgives much, but there's one class it doesn't cover. He won't tolerate a man who says the speaker looks like Senator Cullom. A good deal of fun has been made of Cullom because he has encouraged the belief held by some people that he looks like Lincoln. "Uncle Joe" does not think that he looks like anybody else, and he is not banking for that sort of a reputation. His originality in manner is safe from infringement.

Prepared under GERMAN LAWS, is Excellent for
RHEUMATISM,
Gout, Neuralgia, Sprains, etc.
DR. RICHTER'S World-Respected
"ANCHOR"
PAIN EXPELLER.
Beware of cheap imitations without Trade Mark "Anchor."
One well-known person's letter out of many.
Brooklyn, N.Y., July 10th, 1898
On the strength of the wonderful relief I have obtained from Rheumatism by the use of your ANCHOR PAIN EXPELLER, I can conscientiously recommend it.
F. A. Richter & Co., 112 Pearl St., New York
36 HIGHEST AWARDS.
Recommended by prominent Physicians, Wholesalers and Retail Druggists, Ministers, etc.

Christmas at
One Hundred
In the Shade

DALLANCE had importuned the editor of Everybody's Palladium for a month to commission him to write a story. One day, after he had quite ignored the bohemian on his last dozen calls, the editor said:
"Yes, you can try your hand at a Christmas tale for our December number. I'm going to the mountains to keep cool during dog days. Mail it to me there at the end of this week, and I'll read it immediately."
Now, Dallance had several Christmas sketches all ready to spin out into stories, but instead of buckling to in good faith and finishing one of them he began to speculate on the idiosyncrasies of the chief of the Palladium.
"What in thunder does he want with a Christmas story in August, with December over three months away? If he'd said Thanksgiving it would be more like it, and then I could work a Christmas story on him later."
"Humph! He's going to the mountains to cool off! Much pleasanter place to pursue the paths of magazine editing than the dingy, dinky quarters of the Palladium. But I'll fix him. Of course he wants a story from my pen, only he's too stung of courtesy to say so."
"To the mountains to keep cool and wants to read about Christmas sleigh rides and snowdrifts, ice-boats and chill wintry blasts blowing through old Santa's whiskers. This is fighting dog days with the mind cure. But his nob's'll not get a mental ice bath from me this trip. I'll put him into a mental oven instead and roast the mountain coolness out of him."
So Dallance wrote in a spirit of vindictiveness and pushed his pen as he never pushed it for the prospective publisher's check. He "I'm going to keep cool" laid the scene of his story in a farmer's kitchen in the middle west. All the family, three generations wide, rallied in the little farmhouse to gorge on grandma's Christmas goodies. The weather clerk lost his reckoning, and it was a green, sticky Christmas. Moreover, the author piled on the agony with a roaring huckory fire, baking, roasting, stewing half a dozen women and girls packed in the fiery kitchen, lost to all discomfort so the feast was done on time and eaten piping hot. Grandpa said, "I won't be no Christmas 'bout the ole fireplace-a-humpty!" And so there was a roaring furnace in the dining room, where the overgrown crowd was packed in to dispose of hot bean soup, hot turkey, hot baked potatoes, hot turnips, hot apple sauce, hot plum pudding, hot mince pie and hot coffee.
It was 100 in the shade in Dallance's city den while he wrote, as well as in the picture he drew, and he was exhausted from the effect of his own medicine when the sketch was finished. But this was a trifle so long as he could parboil the editor of the Palladium. For a week he lived over the details of his joke, sweltering as one can in dog days with flames, heat waves and sissing things before the mind's eye.
Certain of the success of his scheme and the usual gift edged check, for the Palladium was a liberal paymaster, he decided to blow himself in advance by way of cooling his overheated blood. He haunted the beach and the roof gardens, and, having gorged his stomach with ice water while concocting the red-hot story, he found it necessary to introduce more palatable liquids, and these cost good money. Every night, or, rather, early morning, he happened around to see if the mail had landed his check and, not finding it, lived the story over again, as he thought the editor would find it in his mountain haven. It even delighted him to believe that his victim was having a good long roast. These frequent rehearsals produced the inevitable result of more thirst, more ice water, more staleness of the palate and a desire for liquid that would take hold. Then at length he got his manuscript back with a curt note saying:
My Dear Sir—In the same mail with your manuscript came a note from my assistant to the effect that a Christmas story bought last year and somehow mislaid in the Palladium office has turned up. Of course we must use that, so I am compelled to deny myself the personal pleasure it would afford me to read your manuscript in order to return it in time for you to seek a purchaser elsewhere. Thank you just the same for submitting it.
THE EDITOR.
Poor Dallance hadn't even the usual satisfaction of cursing the numskull autocrat for not knowing a good thing when he saw it.
Florence isn't Kicking.
Florence—What do you think? Horace never once kissed me under the mistletoe!
Dolly—Wasn't that a shame?
Florence—Hardly. You see, he kissed me beneath my nose.
A Synonym.
Spencer—Give me a synonym for the word Christmas.
Popper (moodily)—Broke!

THE RAILWAYS

B. & O. Appointments.
J. A. Spielman has been appointed superintendent of the Chicago division with headquarters at Chicago, vice T. J. Foley, promoted.
L. P. Rossiter has been appointed assistant division superintendent of the Shenandoah division, with headquarters at Winchester, vice Wm. Trapnell, promoted.
H. E. Hale has been appointed superintendent of the Butler division, with headquarters at Butler, vice J. A. Spielman, promoted.
T. J. Foley has been appointed general superintendent of the Wheeling system, with headquarters at Wheeling, W. Va.
The Wheeling System.
Circular No. 27, from Baltimore, Dec. 15, says: Effective this date, the Wheeling system, consisting of the Newark, Cleveland and Ohio River divisions, is created. C. S. Sims, Gen. Manager. Approved, G. L. Potter, Third Vice President.
Local Railway Notes.
Ed Simco has accepted a position as brakeman with the B & O.
Brakeman Scanlin and W. D. Baker are on the sick list.
F. M. DeGroot has been marked up as extra brakeman on the C. O. division.
Brakeman C. W. Hayman has been given leave of absence until Dec. 24.
Brakeman R. H. Fuller has been marked up for service.
Freeman C. H. Gerther is off for a short rest.
Brakeman E. Hughes is laying off for a short time.
Brakeman Donavin has returned to work.
Brakeman Beatty has been given a leave of absence until December 27.
Brakeman Minturn has been marked up for service.
Brakeman J. O. Connors is laying off for a few trips.
Conductor Barnes has returned to work.
Conductor Harris has been given a leave of absence until December 23.
Brakeman G. S. Anderson has been marked up for service.

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GRANVILLE
GREAT INTEREST IN CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION.
The Committee Members are Now at Work Getting the Outlines Shaped for a Big Program.

Granville, O., Dec. 19—Great interest has been excited in Granville and vicinity as well as elsewhere, by the recent publication of the announcement that a movement had been set on foot here to celebrate the one hundred anniversary of the settlement of Granville. The committee of ladies appointed to take charge of the preliminary details of the anniversary, have gone actively to work and are getting the outlines shaped up for a grand and fitting celebration. Of course it should be understood by all interested that not only the old graduates of the various institutions of learning, but all the old students as well, who attended any of the schools at Granville, are invited to attend the centennial celebration and take part in it. In connection with the historical portion of the celebration, which will be of especial interest, a museum of historical relics and curiosities will be established, where relics of all kinds pertaining to the settlement and settlers of Granville, and its subsequent history and progress, will be on exhibition. Contributions for this department will be solicited. It is hoped that the descendants of the old Granville settlers and their friends will rummage their storerooms, garrets and closets for any appropriate relics of this kind. Pieces of old furniture and articles of clothing, books, papers, documents and anything of personal or historical interest pertaining to the early settlement and subsequent history of Granville will be gladly received, properly cared for and promptly returned at the end of the celebration.
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THE CREATION

The Third in the Series of Great Composers at High School Next Wednesday.

A very important musical event will take place at the high school next Wednesday afternoon when Professor Yeardeley will give his third recital, rendering a large part of the beautiful music from Haydn's "Creation." The high school chorus will be assisted by Miss Bertha Penney, soprano; Mr. Will Reynolds, baritone, and Mr. Harry Part, tenor, the latter gentleman coming from Marietta, O. He has a very fine tenor voice and has sung the tenor parts of the "Creation" with great success. Miss Penney and Mr. Reynolds are well and favorably known to Newark audiences and they will no doubt be at their best in their solos and ensemble work in the "Creation." The recital will commence promptly at 1.30 p. m. and will be the closing event in a very successful semester at the High school. Patrons of the school and music-loving people generally are invited to attend. No admission is charged at these recitals.

IMPROVEMENTS

Going on at Buckeye Lake—Many Stumps are Now Being Removed from the Lake.

General Manager J. R. Harrigan, of the Columbus, Buckeye Lake and Newark interurban line, has consummated plans for the beautifying and general enhancement of Buckeye Lake park, by means of numerous improvements, which will necessitate the expenditure of between \$5,000 and \$10,000.

The arrangements embody the draining of the swamp land, extensive sodding, the construction of new walks and the removal of stumps from the reservoir. Men were placed Thursday at the work of swamp drainage under the direction of Park Manager W. D. Harris.

The drainage of the swamp will add materially to the expanse of territory available for that chief object of parks—recreation.

The vista of the place will be greatly augmented by the obliteration of barren places and incongruous spots through the medium of sodding.

Manager Harris has a force of men at work removing stumps from the lake and clearing the channels for the steamers. Before the ice formed over the lake the water fell several inches. Many of the stumps have been chopped off and many others pulled out.

The entire lake in front of Buckeye Lake Park is to be free from stumps before spring opens.

FIRE FIRE FIRE

We place on sale today two slightly damaged Pianos. They were not damaged, however, by the recent fire in our block. These Pianos will be sold at greatly reduced prices. We are showing some beautiful late style Pianos of standard makes for the holiday trade. Also New Home Sewing Machines, Guitars, Violins and Victor Talking Machines. We are still reducing that Piano \$29.00 each week. Don't wait too long or someone else will get it.

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IN NEWARK

THIS WEDDING TOOK PLACE TWO YEARS AGO.

Now the Wife Alleges That Husband Gave Fictitious Names in Securing Marriage License.

Coshocton, O., Dec. 19.—Mary White charges her husband with fraudulently procuring a marriage license in the Probate court of Licking county at Newark about two years ago. He represented to the court that her name was Mary Safford, while in reality it was Mary Safford. He also represented that his name was Richard White and she has since learned that his right name is Richard Nickel. She now proposes to make him look like a nickel. Mrs. White brought suit in Common Pleas court yesterday with L. N. Staats and R. A. Powelson as her attorneys. She also charges Richard with extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty. She says he often cursed her and struck her and that at one time he threatened to shoot her. She says he frequently got drunk and spent all his money in drunken carousals. He would then become vicious toward her. He left her in October, 1902, and she has been compelled to work and depend upon the charity of her friends for support. She asks for divorce and alimony and restoration to her maiden name.

BASKET BALL

NEWARK TEAM WON THE GAME AT ZANESVILLE.

Too Strong Were the Newark Boys for the Clay City Fellows on Friday Evening.

Zanesville, Dec. 19.—Newark High school, 19; Buker Class club, 10.

That was the final score of a fast and well played basket ball game between the Buker Class club, of this city and the Newark High school team in the gymnasium of the St. James' church parish house last evening.

The Newark team accompanied by about a dozen rotters, arrived here about 8.30 o'clock. They went immediately to the parish house.

The game was very fast and some very brilliant plays were made in the first half which ended in a score of 8 to 7 in favor of the visitors.

In the second half the Newark aggregation demonstrated clearly their superiority over the local team.

Zanesville, Newark:
Right Forward.
Phillips Moore (capt.)
Left Forward.
Ebright (capt) Hart
Center.
Johns Moore
Right Guard.
Whartenby Pine
Left Guard.
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B. & O. Shop Fire.

Lorain, O., Dec. 19.—The biggest fire which ever occurred in the city took place last night when a spark from the boiler house caused a loss of over \$125,000 to the Baltimore and Ohio shops located in the southern part of the city. The fire was discovered in the planing mill at 3 o'clock and a general alarm was immediately sent in. The fire was not gotten under control until 6 this morning.

Perry Named.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Among the nominations sent to the senate today by the president is that of George W. C. Perry to be postmaster at Chillicothe, Ohio.

Court Notes.

Morgan Willey, a well-known man of this city, who is aged about 70 years, was adjudged insane by the probate court on Saturday morning. He was taken over to Columbus Saturday afternoon and placed in the State hospital.

The will of Philip Rush, deceased, of this city, has been admitted to probate and Sarah C. Matthews has been appointed executrix and granted letters testamentary.

Carl Norpell has made application to the probate court for the guardianship of Emma L. Capell, and Albert Vial has made application for the guardianship of Vadie Marie Capell.

In October 1902 building permit were taken out in 24 of the principal cities of the country. These permits involve an expenditure of \$24,000,000 during the same month of last year 628 fewer permits were taken out and nearly \$500,000 less money expended.

SPANISH WAR

Officers Elected by Sam Williams Command—A Side Degree of Spanish War Veterans.

At the regular meeting of Sam Williams Command, No. 212, Spanish War Veterans, held in Memorial hall this week, the following officers were elected for the new year: Captain and commander, Elmer Blizard; first lieutenant, George C. Crawford; second lieutenant, J. F. Brison; chaplain, Mertis L. Wright; sergeant of the guard, John Courtney; corporal of the guard, John Courtney; trustees, Charles A. McNeal and Clifton H. Rosebrough; delegate to department corps of Ohio, Elmer Blizard; alternate, George C. Crawford. The installation of the newly elected officers will take place on Monday evening, January 4, 1904. The regular meeting was changed, and after this date the meetings will be held on the first and third Monday evenings of each month. The following notice of the exemplification of the side degree of the Spanish War Veterans at Cleveland was received:

Military Order of the Serpent.
Isla De Luzon, Grand Lair.
Cleveland, O., Dec. 15, 1903.

Americanos—The Sacred Snake has convoked a gathering of the Sons of Khattee Puna at Cleveland on the first day of the new year, and such as would worship him are summoned to the dread altar at that time. The Thrice Dulcet Yawler of the Jungle would explain that a Datto with a small band of Ladronees will meet and capture Americans as they alight from the trains on the morning of the first and conduct them to the local calabozo until such time as the Sacred Procession of the Gugu Grandississimo and his servants of the Snake, together with their prisoners, shall take place, which will be at 11 a. m., standard time, after which the prisoners will be given their rice and pan. No bene will be allowed, nothing but the virus, and that only at the dispensation of the Thrice Infamous. At 2 p. m. the Pathless Jungle will be trodden by the wanderers, and in its dark green shades the Snake will declare the law of Khattee Puna. At 7 p. m. a banquet will be served in the private dining room of one of the leading hotels of the city and the servants of the Snake will wind their tortuous paths to their trains.

By command of the Gugu Grandississimo.
FREDERICO MARTINEZ Y FANNING.
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Thrice Infamous Inferior Gugu. The Snake. The Snake. The Snake. Delegates were elected to attend and the comrades of Sam Williams Command will soon be given a taste of life in the jungle of Luzon, P. I. Special meeting at Memorial hall Sunday, December 20, for muster.

A membership in the Y. M. C. A. would make any young man or boy a fine Christmas present.

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Radder a Defaulter.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 19.—E. W. Radder, secretary of the Central Trust company, of this city, who died suddenly August 24, has been proved a defaulter and a probable suicide. He was found short in his accounts over \$30,000. Radder was a very prominent business man, and it is believed the money he took was lost in stock speculations. The facts did not leak out till suit was brought by the Euclid Park National Bank against the Central Trust company. Radder raised one share of the trust company's stock to 100 and borrowed on it. Now the Euclid Park sues to recover the money from the Central Trust company, for the loan was made out in its name, not in Radder's.

ATTORNEYS NOTICE.

The following volumes are missing from the Licking County Law Library: 5th Circuit Court. 6th Ohio State. 21st-22d, 23d-24th, 29th-30th, 41st-42d, and 45th-46th Law Bulletin.

You will confer a favor by returning same to court room should any be in your office.

O. C. LARASON, Clerk.
Per E. M. LARASON, Deputy.

Looks Like War.

London, Dec. 19.—The St. James Gazette today says that the admiralty has sent secret instructions to the British Asiatic squadron. What significance these orders have in the light of affairs in the far East is not known. Englishmen, unofficially, seem to favor the Japanese side of the quarrel. Englishmen believe that war between Russia and Japan is inevitable.

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CHURCH TOPICS SUNDAY

Christian Union.

Christian Union church, West Newark. Rev. J. W. Maxwell, pastor. Preaching 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school at 2 p.m.; Junior Christian Endeavor at 3:30; Senior at 6 p.m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 7 p.m. On Sunday, December 27, a report of the building committee will be read both morning and evening. A full attendance is desired.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Second floor of Memorial Hall. Services Sunday at 10:30 a.m., subject, "Christian Science." Golden text, "How beautiful upon the mountain are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace, that publisheth salvation, that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth." Isaiah 52:7. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.; Wednesday evening meeting, 7:30. Reading room open from 2 to 5 daily. The public is invited.

United Brethren.

East Main street, Rev. J. B. Bovey, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; preaching at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; morning subject, "The Identity of Humanity"; night, "The Magnetism of Sin"; meeting of Juniors at 2:30 p.m.; Y.P.C.U. meeting at 6 p.m. topic, "A Vision of World Wide Peace." Isaiah 11:6-9. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7, "The Greatest Gift." Luke 2:11. Our entertainment and treat for the Sunday school will be given on Christmas night.

First Methodist.

Rev. L. C. Sparks, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning theme, "The Mission of Jesus." Evening theme, "The Quest for Happiness," the fourth in a series on "Burning Questions." Class meeting at 8:15 a.m. Sunday school, 9:15 a.m.; Epworth League meeting at 6 o'clock in charge of Dr. G. W. Emery. Subject, "A Choice for Eternity." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:15 o'clock. A cordial welcome is extended to all desiring to worship with us.

Trinity Episcopal.

Trinity Church, corner of East Main and First streets, the Rev. G. W. Van Fossen, rector. Fourth Sunday after advent: Holy communion, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:15; Matins and sermon, 10:30; Holy communion, 11:15; Women's Bible class, 3 p.m.; evening song and sermon, 7 p.m. Mid-day appointments, daily, matins 9 a.m.; Wednesday evening prayer and lecture, 7:30 p.m.; Monday, St. Thomas day, matins at 8:30 a.m.; Holy communion 9 a.m.; Christmas day, Holy communion, 7:30 a.m.; morning prayer 9:30; Holy communion 10 a.m. Saturday, St. Stephen's day, matins at 8:30 a.m.; Holy communion at 9 a.m.

Plymouth Congregational.

Thomas L. Kiernan, minister. The Bible school meets at 9:30; morning worship at 10:45, subject of the sermon "Mission of the Christian Church." Y. P. S. C. E. meets at 6 p.m. subject "A Vision of World Wide Peace." Leader, Miss Ollie Miller. Evening service at 7. Sunday being the anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers, the event will be appropriately observed, the pastor telling "The Story of the Pilgrims." It is indeed most fitting that we religiously observe the anniversary of the landing at Plymouth Rock, and thus seek to keep alive the memory of their heroic endeavor in behalf of liberty. Special music for this service will be furnished by talent from the Granville Conservatory of Music. You are cordially invited to attend this or any of the services in Plymouth church.

East Main Methodist.

East Main street Methodist Episcopal church, corner East Main and Cedar streets, Thomas W. Locke, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30; morning and evening preaching 10:30 and 7. Subjects, "God's Laborers" and "The Halting Thigh." Junior League meeting 2:30; Epworth League devotion meeting 6 p.m.; topic, "A Choice for Eternity." Prayer meeting and Sunday school teachers' hour Wednesday night at 7. Good music; seats free; all are cordially invited.

German Presbyterian.

Preaching in German 10 a.m.; Sunday school 2 p.m.; Preaching in English 7 p.m. On Friday, December 25, at 7:30 p.m. Christmas exercises by the Sunday school. There will also be a preaching service, conducted in German on Friday, December 25th at 10 p.m. All are invited.

Fourth Street Church of Christ.

All Sunday services in Taylor Hall. Bible school at 9:30; communion and sermon at 10:30; evening worship at 7, with third of the series of four Sunday night sermons by the pastor or "Sixteen Excuses answered by the Word of God." Senior Endeavor at 5:45; meeting in balcony in Taylor Hall; subject, "A Vision of World Wide Peace." Isa. 11:6-9. Leader, Kate Hosenberger. Come and you will receive a welcome. All are cordially invited to worship with us.

First Congregational.

Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.; preaching services at 10:30; subject, "Immanuel." Endeavor prayer meeting at 6

p.m.; preaching services at 7 p.m., subject, "Elijah." Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.

West End Lutheran Mission. Services will be held this evening at 7 o'clock, the Rev. S. J. McDowell, field secretary of the Lutheran home mission board officiating.

Second Presbyterian. Prof. C. L. Williams will preach at 10 a.m. Sunday school at 11:30. On evening service. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:15.

First Presbyterian.

Morning worship at 10. Special musical program. Sermon, "Messages which Christmas Brings." Evening service at 7. Special musical program. Sermon, "Echoes of the Heavenly Chorus." Sabbath school at 11:30. Junior Endeavor at 5. Endeavor prayer meeting at 6, subject, "A Vision of World Wide Peace." Leader, Mrs. Frank Handel. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. The trustees will give a Christmas reception for members of the church and congregation and their friends on Monday evening. Everybody welcomed.

Morning Program:

Organ Prelude.

Gloria.

Invocation.

Lord's Prayer.

Hymn, "Joy to the World," Handel.

Scripture.

Antiphon, "The First Christmas," Joseph Barnby.

Prayer.

Hymn, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing," Mendelssohn.

Offering.

Antiphon, "Hark! What Mean Those Holy Voices," Arthur Sullivan.

Sermon, "The Message Christmas Brings."

Prayer.

Antiphon, "Shout the Glad Tidings."

G. W. Marston.

Benediction.

Organ Postlude.

Evening Program:

Gloria.

Hymn, "While Shepherds Watch at Their Flocks," Handel.

Scripture.

Antiphon, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," W. H. Neidlinger.

Prayer.

Hymn, "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night," Lowell Mason.

Offering.

Sermon, "Echoes of the Heavenly Chorus."

Prayer.

Antiphon, "Hark! What Mean Those Holy Voices," Arthur Sullivan.

Benediction.

Organ Postlude.

St. Paul's Lutheran.

St. Paul's church, Evangelical Lutheran, First street, south of Main, Rev. J. C. Schindel, pastor. Fourth Sunday in Advent. Bible schools, three departments, 8:20 a.m. Morning worship 10:30 o'clock, with sermon by the Rev. S. J. McDowell, field secretary of the Home Mission Board, on the text, "In the Days of these kings shall the God of Heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed." As an offertory, Miss Penney will sing "Lo, they come, those Eastern sages" by Flora Kirkland. Evening worship, 7:15 o'clock, with pulpits talk by Pastor Schindel on "The Mistake the Prodigal Son Made," the second talk in the series on "Life as It Is." Misses Penney, Beckman and Hirschberg will sing a trio as an offertory. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 7 p.m., rehearsal for the Christmas service to be given by the Bible school Christmas night, Christmas night, Friday, at 7:15 p.m. service by the Bible school. No admission charged, but offering received at the door for charity. The sittings in St. Paul's always free. Everybody welcome.

St. Paul's Lutheran choir will rehearse this evening promptly at 7:00 o'clock. The program for Christmas will be assigned.

Second Presbyterian.

Christmas services Sunday at 10 a.m. as follows:

Organ, Grand Offertoire Noel, Thayer.

Doxology.

Invocation and Lord's Prayer.

Hymn, "Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem."

Psalter.

Antiphon service.

"The First Christmas," by Joseph Barnby.

(a) The Annunciation.

(b) The Shepherds.

2. Cradle Song of the Virgin.

4. Gloria in Excelsis.

Prayer.

Scripture.

Notices.

Hymn, "Christmas Carol."

Offertory solo, "The Heralds of Heaven," Schneckert (Mrs. C. M. Miller).

Sermon, "Christ, the Power of God," Prof. C. L. Williams of Granville.

Prayer.

Hymn, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

Benediction.

Organ, Christmas March, Merkel.

St. Francis de Sales.

Masses at St. Francis de Sales church will be held as usual tomorrow at 7 and 10. Benediction will follow immediately after the second mass.

St. Paul's Mission.

Evangelical Lutheran, No. 71 Williams street, Revs Schindel and Spaid pastors. Service at 2 p.m. for permanent organization of church, Revs. McDowell Schindel and Spaid officiating. Worship, 7 p.m. Revs. McDowell and Spaid officiating. Every member and friend of the mission is cordially invited to be present. Class in the

catechism, Friday, 3:30 p.m. Come thou with us and we will do thee good.

Baptist Church.

Morning subject, I Cor. 1:12, "Some Plain Facts." Evening subject, "How Shall We Entertain the King?" Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; Junior B. Y. P. U., 2:30 p.m.; Young People's meeting at 6 p.m.; Bible study Monday nights at the pastor's house. Subject for Wednesday night, "Helping Others by Believing in Them." Regular services at the chapel on South Third street, afternoon and evening.

Five postulants made their first solemn vows on December 15, at the

Convent of the Good Shepherd, Carthage, Ohio. Most Rev. Henry Moller officiated, assisted by Father O'Boylan, of Newark, and Father Hanna, chaplain of the Convent of the Good Shepherd, in Columbus. The masters of ceremonies were Father McSorley and Father Davis. The sermon was preached by the archbishop. Among those who received the veil were Miss Carolyn Civill and Miss Julia Rafferty, both of Newark. Their names in religion are respectively Sister Mary Sylvester and Sister Mary Virginia—Cincinnati Cor. Catholic Columbian.

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THE COURTS

(Continued from Page 3.)

In the case of Ohio ex rel. Mille Ford v. Zane Wickham, the jurors returned a verdict finding the defendant guilty. Smythe & Smythe; Daugherty.

In the case of Ohio ex rel. Mary Duberry v. Edward Welsh, a motion for a new trial has been filed by counsel for defendant, assigning a number of grounds upon which, as he claims, a new trial should be granted.

The judge thanked the petit jurors on behalf of the court and the citizens of the county for their attention to duty as jurors and discharged them from further attendance during the term.

After the court excused the jury, Juror Evans stepped out, and on behalf of his fellow jurors, made a very neat speech to the court and spoke of the fair and impartial manner in which the business of the court had been transacted. He then presented Judge Seward with a box of fine cigars. The judge, in thanking the jurors for the token of esteem in which he was held, stated that he did not know whether he would dare to let his wife know about it, but would receive it all the same, and would not forget the members of the bar.

MILITIA SOLDIER NOW HAS UNCLE SAM'S ARMY TO PLAY WITH.



Assistant Secretary of War Oliver.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Gen. Robert Shaw Oliver, the new assistant secretary of war, is a rich man with a fondness for military life. He has gratified it heretofore by serving as brigadier general in the New York national guard. As assistant to Secretary Root he is in touch with real armies and warlike affairs on a big scale.

General Oliver's home is in Albany. His appointment was made by the President at the personal request of Secretary Root. He has general supervision of all matters relating to rivers and harbors, inspections of the military establishment, record and pension office business, recruiting service, discharges, courts martial and other questions relating to enlisted men and to military prisoners. He has charge of all matters relating to the militia, the preliminary examination of questions relating to the Philippines and Cuba, and final disposition of ordinary routine matters pertaining to those islands; matters relating to national cemeteries, boards of survey, open market purchases and medals of honor. When he has performed these various and manifold duties and time hangs heavy on his hands, he performs such special chores as the secretary of war may assign to him.

Wine manufacturers in Greece, it is said, purpose using barrels made of paper for their wine.

Bon Ami

Is used in the form of a thin lather and will not scratch.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Dance Tonight.

The Adonis club will dance at Brennan's Hall tonight.

Spanish War Veterans.

Special meeting of Sam Williams command at 2 o'clock Sunday.

Fine Horse and Sleigh.

John A. Prior has bought a fine horse and sleigh of John Miller, the meat clerk.

Fall Term Ends.

Denison university, Doane Academy and Shepardson college at Granville, have closed for the holiday season.

A Nine Pound Boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Matt Smith, at their home on West St. Clair street, on Thursday morning, a nine pound boy.

Newark Trust Company.

Frank P. Kennedy has been elected first vice president of the Newark Trust company, vice Samuel J. Davis, deceased.

Handsome Calendar.

Haynes Brothers, the jewelers, are giving away a handsome calendar to each customer. The calendar contains an excellent picture of the court house, photographed by Mr. J. T. Haynes.

See Last Page Today.

Besanceney & Henneberg, the new furniture firm located on the east side of the square, have an excellent line of furniture on hands. Their full page advertisement in this edition is self explanatory.

Petition for Pardon.

Already a large number of people have called at The Advocate office and signed the petition for a pardon for Harry P. Scott. The paper may be found at The Advocate counting room.

Good Country Sleighing.

Farmers say that never in the history of Licking county has the sleighing been better than at present. The country roads are smooth and well covered with well packed snow, making as smooth traveling as on the city's paved streets.

School Exhibition.

The closing holiday exhibition of the Minnesota school, district No. 2, Newark township, will take place on Monday afternoon. John A. Reed is teacher, and a special program of exercises, literary and musical, has been prepared for the occasion. Friends of the school are invited.

At Plymouth Church.

The anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers will be fittingly celebrated at Plymouth Congregational church tomorrow evening. There will be special music Mr. Thomas Phillips and several other members of the Denison Glee club, of Granville, having volunteered to sing.

COLE'S PAWN SALE.

Annual sale of unredeemed goods consisting of gold and silver watches, diamond rings and studs, revolvers, clothing and tools and other articles too numerous to mention, will be sold at prices below their actual value. Sale will continue from day to day until all goods have been sold. D. T. Cole 34 South Second street. 18-3t-sv

Where is the boy that wouldn't appreciate a membership in the Y. M. C. A. for a Christmas present? He can use it 365 days.

THE SICK.

Mr. H. D. Murphy, the well-known insurance agent, is suffering with an acute attack of neuralgia.

Thomas Morrison, who has been suffering with an attack of rheumatism for the past week, is able to be about again.

Miss Frances Priest, a student at Shepardson college, Granville, is suffering from a severe cold and sore throat.

Mrs. William Prout, who has been ill for the past two or three weeks, is rapidly regaining her health.

Mr. George Dixon, of Buckingham street, the veteran expressman, has been confined to his home for several days, the fingers on both his hands having been frozen.

Fight Will Be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall, of Beall, Miss., has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Guaranteed by Frank D. Hall, druggist. Price 50c and \$1.

Special Art Vase Sale.

Commencing Saturday morning, we will place on sale at H. D. Munson's Music Store, 27 West Main street, a large number of hand decorated art vases, worth \$2.00 and \$2.95, for 95 cts. each.

This bargain will last for a few days only. Call and get your choice exhibition in charge of Miss Twigg.

12-18-2t

The birth rate among the foreign born in Massachusetts is 52 per 1,000; among the native-born it is 17.

Always remember the old name **Carroll's Food** Cures a Cold in 2 Days, Cures in 2 Days

E. H. Brown on every box 25c

INDIANA'S RAGING TADS.

Bottle of Port to Be Opened by a Social Club's Last Member.

A young man of Covington, Ind., in 1847 read in a Cincinnati newspaper of a social club which had been formed years before that date. The last surviving member of the club had broken the bottle of whisky that had been on the banquet table at every anniversary of the first meeting.

The incident impressed the reader, and he formed a similar club in Covington. The membership was twenty, and the club was called the Raging Tads. The members were Burnett D. Van Trooner, Albert Mallory, Rhel Hannegan, James McManoney, Lewis R. Hetfield, Charles Hansicker, Samuel Fields, Sanford Crane, William Bradley, William Donaldson, William Pible, Edward Mallory, Sidney Harper, Ed Pullen, Alexander Hetfield, Elias Wilcox, Frank Clark, Harvey Johnson, Rufus Fribble and Bob Brown.

Instead of whisky a bottle of port wine was put on the table, and this was to be broken by the last member. On Thanksgiving was the fifty-sixth anniversary dinner of the Raging Tads. Two of the four survivors met at Covington, with the bottle between them. Colonel McManoney, who will be eighty years old in March, and Lewis Hetfield, who is now eighty years old, were the partakers of the feast. Bob Brown, eighty-three years old, lives in Nebraska, and Harvey Johnson, of the same age, in Illinois. They were unable to attend.

The Covington men are hale and hearty, but were much affected by the smallness of their numbers. They shed tears as they spoke of their former companions. Mr. Hetfield said:

"I don't want to be the last. It will be a sad, a very sad, occasion, the opening of that old bottle."

"I wouldn't open that bottle for anything in the world," said Colonel McManoney.

The bottle is cared for as if it were of priceless value. From one Thanksgiving to the next it is stored in the vault of the Covington Banking company, where it will not have to remain many years before its seal is broken by the last of the Raging Tads.

NEW YEAR MESSAGE.

Details of the United States Naval Observatory's Scheme.

The United States naval observatory at Washington recently announced the details of its scheme to send telegraphic time signals throughout the world to mark the beginning of the new year. The signals were sent out last year for each of the four great standard time belts of the United States, but this year it is proposed not only to secure a wide distribution of these new year signals throughout North and South America by the co-operation of the telegraph and cable companies, but also to send one or more of the four series of signals around the world and back to the room of the naval observatory where they started.

The signals will begin at 11:55 p.m. and end at midnight, eastern time. The same series will be sent out an hour later, ending at midnight, central standard time; again an hour later, ending at 2 a.m., for midnight of mountain standard time, and again an hour after that, ending at 3 a.m., for midnight of Pacific coast standard time. In each of these four five-minute intervals the clock will send an electric impulse practically every second. On the world circuit the signals will go by land lines to Cape Canis, Nova Scotia; thence by cable to the Azores, Lisbon, Gibraltar, Malta, Alexandria and Port Said; by land to Suez; by cable to Aden and Bombay; by land to Madras; by cable to Penang, Singapore, Saigon, Hongkong, Manila, Guan, Midway, Honolulu and San Francisco; and by land back to Washington.

It is proposed to receive both the outgoing and incoming signals on the same chronograph at the naval observatory and thus preserve a permanent graphic record of both on a single sheet of paper. It is suggested that, besides demonstrating the possibilities of practical astronomy and telegraphy working together through international co-operation, benefits will result from the general attention that it will direct to the advantages of the use of accurate standard time throughout the world. The messages will also carry a New Year's greeting to the world.

Plan to Prevent Army Desertions. Iron railings eight feet high are to be erected all round the city of Metz. The object, it is said, is to prevent desertions from the army, which have attained a very high figure.

A Frosty Morning. I love these frosty mornings, When all the outer air Is tingling with a freshness And vint beyond compare.

The north wind in the tree tops Proclaims the coming dawn And sends the crisp leaves rattling Across the frozen lawn.

From some adjacent farmyard A watchful chattering With raucous, joyous crowing Assails the atmosphere.

Then, nearer home, a watchdog, Awakened from his sleep, Gives voice to his resentment In tones prolonged and deep.

A wagon, bound for market, Goes creaking down the road. I hear the axes groaning Beneath the heavy load.

The light grows at my window, And on the pane I see Jack Frost has limned a picture Of silver tracery.

Now from the servants' stairway Slow feet descend the hall, And then a kitchen shutter Bangs out against the wall.

I love these frosty mornings, To note these things and then To draw the bedclothes closer And go to sleep again.

—Catholic Standard and Times.

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THE WANTS.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

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FOR SALE.

For Sale—8 room house on Central avenue. Has strictly all modern conveniences. Price \$2100. Worth the price. Thomas A. Evans, 35 1-2 S. Park. 12-18-3t

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WEEK'S Society and Club EVENTS

Miss Katherine Sturgeon will entertain a few of her little friends this afternoon at her home on North Fifth street, from three until five.

Miss Lillian Franklin entertained the Tuesday Afternoon Whist club this week at her home on West Church street. The prize was won by Mrs. Dr. Knauss.

Invitations are out for the Christmas dance to be given by the Alfretha club at the new hall in the Union block.

Mrs. H. Cooper entertained at her home, 223 Hoover street, Wednesday, with an old-time quilting party. Those present were: Mrs. Grindle, Mrs. Hurtman, Mrs. Henry Hartman, Mrs. Max McLarion, Mrs. Homer Cooper, Mrs. William Cooper, Mrs. William House. Refreshments were served and quite an enjoyable time was had by all.

A pleasant surprise was given to Mrs. Mary Hirt, Friday, the occasion being the celebration of the seventieth anniversary of her birth. Her children and grandchildren gathered at the home of James McWilliams on Tenth street, where the day was very happily spent.

The Monday Talks met this week with Mrs. F. M. Black. After the usual preliminary exercises the following program was given:

On Hamburg-American liner aloft on the Aegean sea. A nearer view of the Archipelago, Mrs. J. A. Mitchell.

Three Stepping Stones to India, Mrs. S. M. Hunter.

Off the Coast of Asia Minor. The recruiting ground of the Turks, discussed over the rail, Mrs. Helen S. Franklin.

Current Events, The Campaign for Protection in England, Miss Spencer.

The guests of the club were Mrs. George Davidson, of Chicago, and Miss Grant, of Zanesville.

The club adjourned for the holiday recess, and on January 4 the annual business meeting will be held at the library room.

Miss Kathryn Simonds will give a large reception next Tuesday evening, which will close the first term of her dancing class.

The closing exercises of Miss Frances Smith's private school were held on Friday afternoon and consisted of songs and recitations and a few remarks by Mr. Van Fossen. A social room time was also enjoyed. The school will re-open on Monday, January 4.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. H. D. Woodbridge gave a tea party in honor of the birthday of her aunt, Mrs. Jane Woodbridge. The guests were the old friends of Mrs. Woodbridge and it was a most delightful affair. Tea was served at small tables, with each place card a piece of holly. The afternoon entertainment was simply social intercourse.

Miss Lillian Latimer entertained on Friday from 2 till 5 with a kitchen shower for Miss Clara O'Bannon. In view of the near approach of Christmas the afternoon was devoted to sewing. Miss O'Bannon was delighted with a beautiful collection of kitchen ware. The guests present were: Mrs. Harry Swisher, Miss Lois Upson, Miss Ethel

Fitser, Mrs. Charles Rhoads, Miss Edith Upson, Miss Shirley Fitser, Miss Lucille Harrington, Miss Alice McCune, Miss Louise Beecher, Miss Clara O'Bannon, Miss Ada Pollett, Miss Nell O'Bannon, Miss Marie Clouss and Miss Lettie Felix.

The Young People's Euchre club was entertained on Thursday evening by Miss Latimer at her home on Hudson avenue. The prizes were won by Miss Ethel Fitser and Mr. Frank Webb.

The Research club sends this greeting to its friends:

"The time draws near the birth of Christ.

Th' morn is hid, the night is still;

And Christmas bells from hill to hill,

Answer each other in the mist."

—Tennyson.

The Tuesday Afternoon Euchre club met this week with Mrs. A. C. Dickinson. Mrs. Charles Kellenberger received the prize for most progressions and Mrs. Edward Wright the prize for lone hands. Mrs. W. F. Upson and Mrs. D. L. Altshool received the guest prizes.

The Tuesday Evening Whist club did not meet this week, but will meet next Monday evening instead of Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Anna Priest.

The Progressive club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Franklin. The following program was given:

Homes of Windsor—Buckingham, St. James and Royal Palaces, Mrs. E. Baird.

A Drawing Room, Mrs. Charles A. Smith.

Sketch of Hampden Court, written by Helen Josephine Veach, read by Mrs. Charles McGruder.

Yuletide, Mrs. George Franklin.

The Latest News From London, the club.

The guests of the club were: Mrs. C. A. Hatch, Mrs. L. P. Schaus, Mrs. J. T. Lewis, Mrs. Charles Sowersby, of Chicago, and Mrs. William P. Miller, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

The Unity Reading Circle was entertained on Tuesday evening by Mrs. Laird. Roll call was responded to with quotations on Christmas and the following program was carried out:

Recent Tendencies of Industrial Evolution, Book 1, Chap. V, Mella Burch.

The Place of Handicraft in Education, December Chautauqua, Mrs. Gabelee.

American Sculptors and Their Art, October Chautauqua, Nina Green.

The Making of the City, November Chautauqua, Mrs. Laird.

Reading Journey—Hawaiian Islands and the Philippines, December Chautauqua, Emma Lisey.

Miscellaneous.

Current Events.

Miss Mary Haight was the hostess of the Alternate Pedro club on Thursday evening. Delicious refreshments were served. The prizes were awarded to Miss King and Mr. Matthews. The players were: Misses Ruby Franklin, Elizabeth Thomas, Jessie Kink, Amy Franklin, Stella Howard, Cassie Hillier, Hazel Thomas and Miss Tric, of Zanesville; Messrs. Fred Knowlton, Charlie Matthews, Charlie Magee, Har-

ry Browne, Kelley, Carl Ashe, Dr. Anderson and Ed McCutcheon.

The regular monthly meeting of the Mission Circle of the Second Presbyterian church was held on Monday evening in the church parlors. After the usual devotional exercises the following excellent program was carried out:

Syria—The Mountaineers.

Syria—Mrs. Woodbridge, leader; Mrs. W. D. Fulton.

The Mountaineers—Mabel Pugh, leader; May Kammerer; Miss Lora Smythe.

Piano solo, Mrs. A. H. Pierson.

After the program a delightful social hour was spent.

One of the most charming entertainments of the season was the party given by Miss Laura Beittler, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Jones, on Broadway, in Granville, on Friday night for the members of the Kappa Phi Sorority and their young gentlemen friends. There were about forty of the young people in attendance, and the rooms of the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. Jones were most artistically and beautifully decorated for the occasion. The diversions of the evening consisted of games of all kinds and the distribution of gifts to all present from a handsome Christmas tree.

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Miss Anna Gainor, daughter of Mrs. Mary Gainor, of 275 North Fourth street, and Mr. Henry Coates, a well known and popular young electrician of Steubenville, O., were married on last Wednesday morning. The ceremony took place at the St. Francis de Sales church and was performed by the Rev. Father B. M. O'Boylan, at 7 o'clock. The bride is one of Newark's best known and most estimable young ladies, and for a number of years has been employed as book-keeper at Swisher Brothers' cigar factory. The happy couple who will make their future home in Steubenville, have the best wishes of all their Newark friends.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. 75 cents.

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DICK WOOD AND HIS CHINESE COMPANION ARRIVE AT THE REVU- VENATED EMPIRE AND THEN PASS ON TO MANILLA.

Japan might well be called the land of individual fancy. It could not well be termed the land of individuality, for that would suggest, at least, some set, or fixed, purpose. In Japan everybody seems to fancy the fanciful rather than to grasp the American idea of the practical. The average Jap goes half naked, and he's not particular which half, either.

To illustrate the foregoing, let me mention the "rickshaw" men. Every-



LAUGHING JAPANESE GIRLS.

body who writes about Japan writes about them. Everybody who touches at a Japanese port comes in contact with them. They and gayly caparisoned pot-bellied stallions constitute the proudest steeds of the chrysanthemum kingdom. And no two "rickshaw" men that I have seen are dressed alike. Although employed in exactly the same form of labor, their dress is as variable as the catarrh climate of the Mississippi valley. Why one "rickshaw" man should bare the lower half and another the upper half is only attributable to sheer fancy, love of the grotesque, or, at best, a desire to be odd.

A Japanese beauty of the tea-garden class may have ever so fine a head of hair all her own, and the exigencies of her calling demand a double switch, each side as large as a black gun's tail. She may be a second Calve, yet she must needs dot her lower lip with a cherry of more than red rouge, which invariably takes so black in the photograph that it looks like a mole or a burnt place. But Fuji Yama's all right. And I presume the better class of Japanese are, too.

Very few of the Coptic's Chinese passengers have availed themselves of the opportunity of going ashore, which is theirs at Japanese ports. Most of them have seen the tourist's Japan. They don't care to see it any more. A Chinese seldom bites twice on a sour apple.

When I asked Lum Jun to accompany me ashore, he answered:

"You go ashore? Spend 'em too much money. That's no good. Japan—'em all time too much cheat-cheat! Never got one price for nothing. Take too long for argue with Jap—can't. Well, maybe, you no buy, lost time. Well, maybe, you buy, get cheat. Da's all."

AT MANILA.

Manila's other name is Miasma. Shallow, stinking, stagnant stretches



SKETCHES 'N MANILA.

of water, hidden by greenest of grass and foliage, he on all sides around the beautiful residences of reputable physicians. Within almost a stone's throw of a station of the city's health department, the same condition prevails. Two new cases of cholera were reported yesterday. Do you wonder?

Half-way between the Plaza de Calidron de la Barca and San Fernando bridge, in the second floor window of a Chinese restaurant in the little street called Colon, my eyes rest upon Blon-de-church. The Chinese say it is at least 100 years old. A stone tablet in the sidewalk is dated 1790. And there another beside it rendered undecipherable by pedestrians and time.

I take it the Plaza de Calidron de la Barca is typical of Manila—Old Manila. Over San Fernando bridge passes its share of traffic. Come to the window. Here is a teakwood stool. Sit down. Let's count just a few drops in this last artery of life and traffic.

Two Indian (or Hindoo) Sikh soldiers. Three Filipinos, with two bayonets each, dependent from poles across their shoulders. Seven little boys, backs, with some passengers, some without. A Mexican. Three Chinese. A water buffalo gray and driver. Bond-

R. R. Time Cards.

Baltimore & Ohio, EAST BOUND.

Train	Arrive	Depart
408 Wheel & Pitts. Ex.	12:25 am	12:35 am
14 Wheel & Pitts. Ex.	12:35 am	12:45 am
102 Zanesville Accom.	12:45 am	12:55 am
104 Balto. & Wash. Ex.	12:55 am	1:05 am
112 Col. & Zanes. Ex.	1:05 am	1:15 am
108 From Columbus	1:15 am	1:25 am
8 New York Fast Ex.	1:25 am	1:35 am
60 Zanes. Ac. (Sunday)	1:35 am	1:45 am

(Columbus & Newark Div.—WEST BOUND.

Train	Arrive	Depart
105 Cin. & St. L. Ex.	2:40 am	2:50 am
111 Zanes. & Col. Accom.	2:50 am	3:00 am
107 Columbus Express	3:00 am	3:10 am
109 Cin. & St. L. Ex.	3:10 am	3:20 am
115 Columbus Accom.	3:20 am	3:30 am
49 Col. Ex. (Sunday)	3:30 am	3:40 am

NORTH BOUND.

Train	Arrive	Depart
17 Sandusky Accom.	7:57 am	8:10 am
7 Chicago Fast Line	8:45 am	8:55 am
3 Chicago Mail & Ex.	9:00 am	9:10 am
47 Chicago Express	9:20 pm	9:30 pm

ARRIVING FROM THE NORTH.

Train	Arrive	Depart
14 Chicago Fast Line	12:15 pm	12:25 pm
4 Chicago Mail	12:30 pm	12:40 pm
16 Sandusky Accom.	12:30 pm	12:40 pm
8 Chicago Express	12:40 pm	12:50 pm

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210 South	7:40 am

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Train	Arrive
207 From South	11:40 am
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J. M. ICKES, Postmaster.

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No. 21	Daily	12:35 a. m.
No. 23	Daily	12:45 a. m.
No. 27	Sunday only	1:05 a. m.
No. 1	Daily	1:15 a. m.
No. 15	Daily	1:25 a. m.
No. 2	Daily	1:35 a. m.

Eastward.

No.	Daily	Depart
No. 10	Daily	1:35 a. m.
No. 18	Daily	1:45 a. m.
No. 6	Daily	1:55 a. m.
No. 24	Daily	2:05 a. m.
No. 30	Sunday only	2:25 a. m.
No. 26	Daily	2:35 a. m.

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COME TODAY BEFORE THE RUSH

THE PAY CAR COMES SATURDAY, WHICH MEANS A BOOM TO BUSINESS.

THE A. A. Griggs COMPANY

The typewriter is more largely used in Mexico than in France.

MUNSON MUSIC CO.

For Christmas presents. 27 West Main street.

Drink CONSUMERS Pure Beer.

Prof. Lapworth, regarding the moon with a geologist's eye, feels convinced that it is an active and living world.

The Johannesburg Public Library is now open on Sunday afternoon.

BURGLAR

COVERED THE POLICEMAN WITH A RIFLE,

But Repeated Efforts Failed to Make the Gun Go Off—Man Escaped From Cole's Store.

To the fact that a burglar was ignorant of the mechanism of a Winchester magazine rifle, or that it providentially failed to work Officer George S. McClure of the Newark police force, owes his life, in an exciting experience late Friday night. The officer's beat took in that portion of South Second street in which is located the loan office and pawn broker's store of D. T. Cole and in passing the store he stopped to try the front door. As he did so he looked through the glass and saw a burglar standing toward the rear of the store, covering him with a Winchester rifle, which he was making desperate efforts to fire. The officer, realizing at once his desperate position, never faltered, and instead of retreating, pulled his revolver and opened fire on the burglar, shooting through the window three times. The latter beat a retreat through the rear door into an alley and escaped.

An investigation showed that the rear door had been pried open with a heavy crow bar in the same manner as Plaine's department store and John Hysers' shoe store were entered.

As far as Mr. Cole can tell the only thing stolen was a 38 calibre revolver.

ANONYMOUS

Letters Addressed to the Mayor Receive no Attention—Great Numbers are Received.

Mayor A. J. Crilly is the recipient of great numbers of anonymous letters on almost every subject imaginable, whether it has any connection with his office or not. The writers of these letters might as well save time and postage, as the Mayor throws them into the wastebasket without giving them a reading.

If any one has something to communicate to the chief executive he is very approachable and will listen with patience, or will give a letter properly signed the consideration it deserves, but the anonymous letter will continue to find its place in the wastebasket where it belongs.

FIRE SALE

Drew a Large Crowd of Purchasers to the Tucker Building Early Saturday Morning.

The opening of the Powers-Miller company's fire sale in the Tucker building on East Main street, witnessed a great crowd of purchasers who came early to get the choice of the stock. The store room, which is one of the largest in Newark was soon crowded and continued so to be during the entire day.

Private detectives mingled through the crowd and prevented stealing. A large force of clerks was kept busy all day waiting on the throngs of purchasers.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at Frank D. Hall's Drug Store.

THE Y. M. C. A.

Sunday Afternoon Address by Field Secretary S. J. McDowell—A New Musical Program.

The address at the Men's meeting in Taylor Hall tomorrow afternoon will be given by the Rev. S. J. McDowell, field secretary of the Lutheran Home Mission Board.

The Denison Mixed Quartet which has given a number of fine musical programs already this year, will again furnish the music tomorrow. Miss Lisa Gell and Mr. Thos. Phillips will each render solos.

The program for the afternoon will be as follows:

2 p. m., Boys' Class, "Travels of Paul."

3 p. m., Sacred Concert.

3:30 p. m., Address.

4:30 p. m., Bible Study Groups. Rev. T. L. Kiernan, J. B. Jones, Prof. J. A. Tait.

5:15 p. m., Fellowship Lunch. Men are invited to any or all of these services.

Bilious Colic Prevented.

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people who are subject to attacks of bilious colic use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by all druggists.

COAL.

The Celebrated "Green Hollow" and 20th Century Coal, at Buckeye Yards. Both phones 12-15-61.

Drink CONSUMERS Pure Beer.

As we Advertise so We Do.

Everything That's Good in Dry Goods

MEYER & LINDORF

The Santa Claus Store.

Santa Claus makes his headquarters here, because he can always find just what he wants. It is so easy to fill orders, where he can find presents that will make the little folks' merry and the old folks happy all at one place.

We Have Thousands of Articles too Numerous to Mention that Will Make a Handsome and Sensible Xmas Present

Cloaks! Cloaks! Cloaks!

We have bought the entire stock of one of the largest cloak manufacturers in this country at less than 50 cents on the dollar, and we will give one of the greatest cloak sales ever heard of at this season of the year, on up-to-date stylish garments. No Old Stuff among them, every one is the very latest New York style.

LADIES' MILITARY CLOAKS

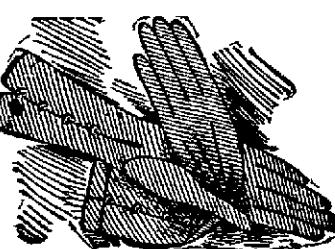
75 of this line with large military capes new shoulders, made in Kersey or Mitten cloth, silk lined and button trimmed, comes in black and castor colors and regularly sold for \$5.00 \$8.50 and \$10 to go at

143 Medium Length Ladies Military Cloaks in Kersey, Zibeline or mitten, cloth satin lined, stop seam and button trimmed with or without military capes over shoulder. Comes in black, blue, brown and castor. Sold regularly \$7.50 only for \$12.50 and \$15. Sale price

Ladies' Very Stylish Mau Tailored Coats in either long or medium length, loose or tight fitting back with or without capes over shoulder, extra fine quality Kersey or Zibeline, satin lined, stop seam or button trimmed in black, grey, blue, brown or castor colors. This is the finest line of coats you ever saw, and sold regularly for \$22.50 to \$30. Our price \$15.00



Ladies' and Children's Gloves



Ladies golf glove special at 25c, 39c and 50c.

Childrens golf glove specials at 25 and 35 cents.

Ladies kid glove special 100 kinds to go at 69 cents.

Ladies kid gloves makes a pretty and useful xmas gift. Our specials are beauties at 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Corsets.

15 doz Satin Girdles in blue, pink and white, regular \$1 kind to go at 50c

A Dress Goods Pattern makes a very desirable xmas present

HANDKERCHIEFS.

100 doz. Ladies Kerchiefs worth 5c to go at 2 1-2c
150 doz. Ladies Kerchiefs, either plain or lace edges to go at 5c
75 doz. Ladies Kerchiefs, plain or fancy border, worth 15c, to go at 10c.
Ladies Kerchiefs Specials at 15, 25, 35, 50, 75, 85, 98 cents and \$1.25, 1.50, 1.98 and \$2.25.
Men's Kerchiefs Specials at 5, 10, 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

FREE

Fancy Box for Gloves, Kerchiefs, Hosiery, Linens and Jewelry.

DOLLS! DOLLS!

Our buyer has just returned from the market and as he bought a great stock of dolls for near 50c on the dollar, we will be able to give some great doll values. Note the following prices and compare our dolls with others and you can readily see the bargains that we are offering.

Dolls worth 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$5.00, \$5.25, \$5.50, \$5.75, \$6.00, \$6.25, \$6.50, \$6.75, \$7.00, \$7.25, \$7.50, \$7.75, \$8.00, \$8.25, \$8.50, \$8.75, \$9.00, \$9.25, \$9.50, \$9.75, \$10.00, \$10.25, \$10.50, \$10.75, \$11.00, \$11.25, \$11.50, \$11.75, \$12.00, \$12.25, \$12.50, \$12.75, \$13.00, \$13.25, \$13.50, \$13.75, \$14.00, \$14.25, \$14.50, \$14.75, \$15.00, \$15.25, \$15.50, \$15.75, \$16.00, \$16.25, \$16.50, \$16.75, \$17.00, \$17.25, \$17.50, \$17.75, \$18.00, \$18.25, \$18.50, \$18.75, \$19.00, \$19.25, \$19.50, \$19.75, \$20.00, \$20.25, \$20.50, \$20.75, \$21.00, \$21.25, \$21.50, \$21.75, \$22.00, \$22.25, \$22.50, \$22.75, \$23.00, \$23.25, \$23.50, \$23.75, \$24.00, \$24.25, \$24.50, \$24.75, \$25.00, \$25.25, \$25.50, \$25.75, \$26.00, \$26.25, \$26.50, \$26.75, \$27.00, \$27.25, \$27.50, \$27.75, \$28.00, \$28.25, \$28.50, \$28.75, \$29.00, 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AGAIN

Is Dietrich Under Indictment

Federal Grand Jury is Again Heard From

NEW ACCUSATION AGAINST THE NEBRASKA SENATOR.

SOME ILLEGAL LEASES MADE

To Government—Many Others Included in Charges of Bribery, Perjury and Conspiracy.

Omaha, Neb., 19.—The United States grand jury has made its report to the court, returning 19 true bills. These include indictments against United States Senator Charles H. Dietrich for alleged illegal leasing of a building to the government, to be used as a post-office, former adjutant General Leonard W. Colby, for the alleged embezzlement of government funds; Daniel Gaines of Bassett, Neb., for alleged perjury in swearing falsely to homestead entries; former State Senator Elliott Lowe, for alleged conspiracy to bribe a United States senator; Postmaster John S. Mitchell, of Alma, Neb., charging him with illegal sale of postage stamps; William M. Irwin, on a charge of acting as agent for Mitchell, and against R. M. Allen, president of the Standard Cattle Company, for the alleged illegal fencing of government land.

The indictments against Senator Dietrich and State Senator Lowe are in addition to those returned against them a week ago. The indictment charges that Senator Dietrich leased to the government on April 24, 1901, a building at Hastings, Neb., to be used for a postoffice at an annual rental on the building from the date of its lease by the government up to the present time, equal to a sum slightly in excess of \$2,000.

The indictment against former State Senator Lowe charges him with conspiracy to bribe a United States senator. Two counts, each of \$500, are named in the bill. It is charged that these amounts were paid to Lowe by Postmaster John C. Mitchell in consideration of Lowe's endorsement of Mitchell's candidacy to Senator Dietrich for the appointment as postmaster at Alma.

General Leonard W. Colby was indicted for the alleged embezzlement of amounts aggregating \$4,000 of government funds, paid to him in trust by the State of Nebraska and others for equipment belonging to the United States army.

Postmaster J. C. Mitchell of Alma, Neb., is indicted for conspiracy to defraud the government by the sale, outside of his postoffice, of large quantities of postage stamps in order to increase the receipts of the office at Alma, and thus succeeding in raising the classification of the office and securing to him an increase of salary. Three counts of \$50 each are named in the indictment, one of them naming a State official as the purchaser.

The statute under which the indictment against Senator Dietrich is drawn provides a penalty of \$5,000 fine and requires the return of all money paid by the government under the contract in case of conviction. The penalty for bribery, with which Elliott Lowe is charged provides a heavy fine and imprisonment not to exceed ten years.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY



A PAIR OF PLATTS.

There's Platt of New York, and Platt, of Connecticut, in the senate. They're both over 70, sit near each other and live at the same hotel. There is some facial resemblance, but the thin, feeble New Yorker's frame is far different from the big, angular, architectural lines of the Yankee. The New York Platt seems 10 years younger since his marriage a few months ago. The Connecticut Platt is vigorous for his age, and wields a lot of influence in the senate.

Morgan and the Standard Oil alliance control not less than \$285,000,000 of the \$451,000,000 of the banking capital invested in the city of New York.

TWO NEW MEN AT THE HEAD OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS

GOV. DOLE RESIGNS TO BECOME FEDERAL JUDGE AND GEO. R. CARTER SUCCEEDS HIM.

Honolulu, H. I., Dec. 5.—The appointment of Governor Dole as United States judge and of George R. Carter as governor of Hawaii gives general satisfaction to the people of the islands. Whatever criticism there is, is of the appointment of Dole, and that is by the anti-missionaries, who have

position. A. L. C. Atkinson is said to be slated for the position of secretary of the territory, made vacant by Carter's appointment.

Both Dole and Carter have sent their resignations to President Roosevelt and their new commissions are expected to arrive in Honolulu soon. It is not impossible that the confirma-



THE NEW AND OLD GOVERNORS OF HAWAII.

never forgiven Dole for his part in the overthrow of the monarchy in 1893.

Gov. Dole retired from the executive chair after 10 years spent in the administration of the affairs of Hawaii. Both as when president of the provincial government and of the republic, Dole had the same success as when governor of the American territory. Always criticized by implacable enemies, who stopped at no tricks to secure his downfall, he still has triumphed through it all. The natives do not like Dole. He is too honest and straightforward for them. He has vetoed too many bills, when as governor he was compelled to exercise the executive restraining power in order to stop some big steal. The anti-missionaries hate him just as much as ever, and their organ says that the appointment is an insult to the memory of the late Judge Estee. But the sound conservative people of the islands are the ones who brought out the appointment, and the record he has made as the executive of an alien population for 10 years entitles him to retirement in the best judicial position in the islands.

His selection as United States judge is a fortunate one. Educated in Boston, where he was admitted to the bar, Dole afterwards served seven years as justice of the supreme court of Hawaii. He was called from the bench to become president of the provisional government and of the republic. In that time he dealt with two revolutions and nipped half a dozen threatening uprisings in the bud. Once this was done, however, President Dole pardoned the men who had attempted the overthrow of his government. The natives have good reason to owe his appointment to his personal good qualities. A mutual friend mentioned him to Roosevelt, when the President was looking for a man to give him information on the situation in Hawaii at the time that Dole's son to love him, but they can never forgive him for the active part he took in the overthrow of the monarchy and Queen Liliuokalani.

The new governor is also affiliated with the missionary party, although he is descended from a whaling captain, the direct antithesis of the early missionary. Carter is only 36 years of age, a young man for the position, as the organic act provides that the governor must be at least 35 years old. Carter is a native born Hawaiian, although he has no native blood in his veins. His father was once Hawaiian minister to Washington, and young Carter was once consul at Seattle. He was educated at Phillips Andover and later at Yale. He is wealthy and athletic and strenuous. He was on the Yale football team for three seasons and rowed in the "Varsity eight." Car enemies were endeavoring to secure his removal Carter went to Washington and Roosevelt was so pleased with his report that when Henry E. Cooper resigned as secretary of the territory, Carter gave up a much more profitable position to take the appointment, and was, it is understood, promised the appointment as governor upon the retirement of Dole. Dole's term does not expire until next March, but the vacancy in the Federal court caused his resignation in order to accept the new

tion of Dole as judge would be defeated in the Senate, as California has always claimed to be entitled to the appointment of the United States judge in Hawaii.

"JOHNNY" HAND IS DEAN OF AMERICAN BANDMASTERS.



"JOHNNY" HAND.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—John Hand, or as he is affectionately known to practically every man, woman and child in Chicago, "Johnny" Hand, bears the distinction of being the oldest bandmaster in the United States. He celebrated his 72d birthday anniversary a few days ago and his 50th anniversary as a bandmaster. Despite his old age he is vigorous both mentally and physically, and is good for several years to come as a wielder of the baton.

Wilhelm von Polenz, the noted German traveler who visited this country a number of times and wrote a book entitled "America, the Land of the Future," in which he spoke enthusiastically of this country, died recently at his home near Dresden, Saxony.

LOVE

Letters Went to Wrong Woman

But Affair Has Ended Very Happily

IN WEDDING OF MR. WEAVER TO MISS SIEGFRIED.

SHE ACCEPTED THE MAN'S OFFER

Though It Was Intended for Another by Same Name Who Was Half Her Age.

Delaware, O., Dec. 19.—That Dan Cupid has more than one arrow to his bow was proven in Delaware this week, when a remarkable romance culminated in the marriage of Samuel Weaver, aged 54, and Matilda Siegfried, aged 60.

Until lately Delaware's population included two Matilda Siegfrieds, the other one being a trained nurse of a score and a half of years.

Mr. Weaver lives ten miles west of Delaware. Several months ago he visited this city and met the younger Miss Siegfried. After his return home he commenced corresponding and finally proposed marriage. It was accepted. In the meantime the younger Miss Siegfried had been called out of the city and the love missives intended for her were delivered to the older lady, who knew Weaver only by sight. Naturally she was surprised when his offer came, but she wrote back "yes."

A few days ago the groom came to Delaware to claim his bride and found awaiting him, not the smiles of youth, as he had anticipated, but the just as hearty greeting of a matron of nearly his own age.

After Weaver had become better acquainted, he decided to accept the situation as it was, and the wedding came off at the scheduled time.

The Bath.
[Lines on reading a Chicago physician's assertion that bathing is dangerous.]
Dear friends, be wise; no longer rise
At an uneasy hour;
You see the tattered man denies
There's health in scrub and scour.

Your ill will fly, you'll never die,
If only you'll catch
The rubber sponge, the towel dry,
The soap and water too!

If you would scrub in daily tub,
Then must you rise at six,
For to be clean must always mean
Those lengthy bathing tricks.

Then take advice and in a trice
Cast off all useless fears,
Rise at eleven (more bed, more heaven)
And live a thousand years.

—New York Herald.

In the center of Kildine, an island in the North Sea, is perhaps the most curious lake in the world. The surface of its waters is quite fresh and supports fresh water creatures, but deep down it is as salt as the greatest depths of the sea, and salt water fish live in it.

COUNTESS CASSINI GOT HER TITLE BECAUSE OF THE "CATS."

GOSSIPERS OF PARIS DIDN'T APPROVE OF RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR'S NIECE AS "NIECE" ONLY—POPULAR GIRL IN WASHINGTON SOCIETY.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The question whether the Russian ambassador is to be recalled or is to remain at the national capital becomes important to the social world in Washington, as it affects the plans of his adopted daughter, the Countess Marguerite

who are brought to court and they insist on knowing about the women whom they are compelled to meet in the formal social functions. In Paris, where Cassini was stationed for a time, he found his position rendered most unpleasant and the happiness of his "niece" seriously marred by the



Cassini. The ambassador and his daughter embarked the other day for America, but it is possible that Cassini comes only to present his formal ideas to the president and secretary of state, which he would be obliged to do even if transferred to some other post.

It is not an exaggeration to say that the Countess Cassini has been for two years the most prominent social figure in Washington. In everything over the "smart" people flocked, she was there. Her gowns rivaled anything worn. Her jewels were most costly and unique, her entertainments that was worth her while, and where more gorgeous and select. And with it all she has been blessed with an unusual share of beauty and vivacity of intellect. Her training has been in the schools of the old world. She speaks Parisian French as well as English and converses equally well in German, Italian or Russian. She is also a musician of no mean ability.

When this beautiful young lady first came to Washington it was as the niece of the ambassador. In course of time it was given out that the count had determined to adopt his niece, and she is now generally spoken of as his daughter.

But in the world of diplomacy, and especially in the European world, wives are particular about the women prove, for he granted the request of the count and conferred the title of countess on Marguerite, very much to the discomfiture of the "cats," as she calls them, who had been clawing at

scruples of the women. It was not sufficient for them that the count was willing to install this beautiful young person as the head of his household and to treat her as a queen.

Accordingly, it became necessary for Count Cassini, master of the imperial court and high in favor with the czar, to appeal to the emperor of all of Russia for some indication of his official approval for his beloved niece. The czar evidently saw no reason to disappoint Miss Marguerite's reputation and that of the count.

In Washington the Cassinis never have had the social difficulties which they met in the continental capitals. With the withdrawal of the German ambassador, Von Holleben, Cassini became dean of the diplomatic corps, and his daughter, barely past the twenties, ranks all the ladies of the corps. The count is not an old man. He has a full brown beard which is barely touched with gray, and looks to be scarcely 40. He is the proprietor of vast estates in Russia, and there is a practically unlimited purse at the command of the young mistress of his house.

MR. PENNY'S YELLOW DOG.

Erastus Penny, who accumulated a modest fortune years ago in the town of Bunker by farming and money loaning on improved real estate, was not renowned for his generosity as a giver.

Two years before the great mortgagee, death, foreclosed upon him he was the owner of a yellow dog. This dog had been a tramp, but one day while paying an informal call at the farm it had evidently discovered in Mr. Penny some agreeable qualities that had escaped the observation of his neighbors and promptly adopted him. The process of getting something for nothing, even in the case of a yellow dog, invariably appealed with power to Farmer Penny, and he graciously permitted himself to be adopted.

In a few months the yellow dog was the talk of the neighborhood. He worried ducks, killed chickens, stampeded calves and even throttled sheep. On Christmas morning as the Rev. Abijah Jones, who lived half a mile away, was showing a path through the snow between the parsonage and the road Farmer Penny drove up with the yellow dog tied to his buggy.

"Merry Christmas, Brother Jones," he cried cheerily a few moments later as he led the dog into the yard.

"The same to you, Brother Penny," was the hearty reply.

"Watch, please," continued Farmer Penny, "this here Christmas I thought I'd remember you. You know you was powerful fond of an animal, I've brought you a dog."

"Thank you, sir, thank you," cried the pastor, "I'll be sure to give you a testimonial for this fine gift. I'll be sure to give you a testimonial for this fine gift. I'll be sure to give you a testimonial for this fine gift."

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Leader Dances at Chicago

To the Music Made by a Pistol

WINDY CITY TEAMSTERS DIDN'T LIKE PRESIDENT.

AND THEY PLAINLY SHOWED IT.

Three Bullet Holes in the Floor Bear Mute Testimony to the Dance of Mr. C. P. Shea.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—There are three bullet holes in the floor of the headquarters of the Coal Teamsters' union, at 142 Fifth avenue that bear mute testimony to the story of the dance of Cornelius P. Shea, of Boston. Shea is president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and came to Chicago to show a few things to the teamsters' union of the city.

It was not his intention when he came to the city to give dancing lessons, but his plans were changed. The change was effected by means of a revolver held in the hand of Joseph Cote, assistant business agent of the Coal Teamsters' union. With the revolver Cote directed bullets around the feet of the international president of the teamsters and caused him to caper for the amusement of a dozen coal teamsters who were in the headquarters of the union at the time. When the dance was completed Shea was allowed to leave.

Shea's first trouble was with Albert Young, the teamsters' national organizer. Shea was besought to forbid a sympathetic strike of the teamsters to aid the striking city street railway men, but at the last moment weakened, with the result that the coal teamsters were forced out of the joint council. This so enraged Young that he is said to have driven Shea from the city.

Two days ago Shea was called here by the lively drivers, who are about to strike. Visiting the teamsters' headquarters he was assailed by Cote, who is said to have held Shea up with a revolver.

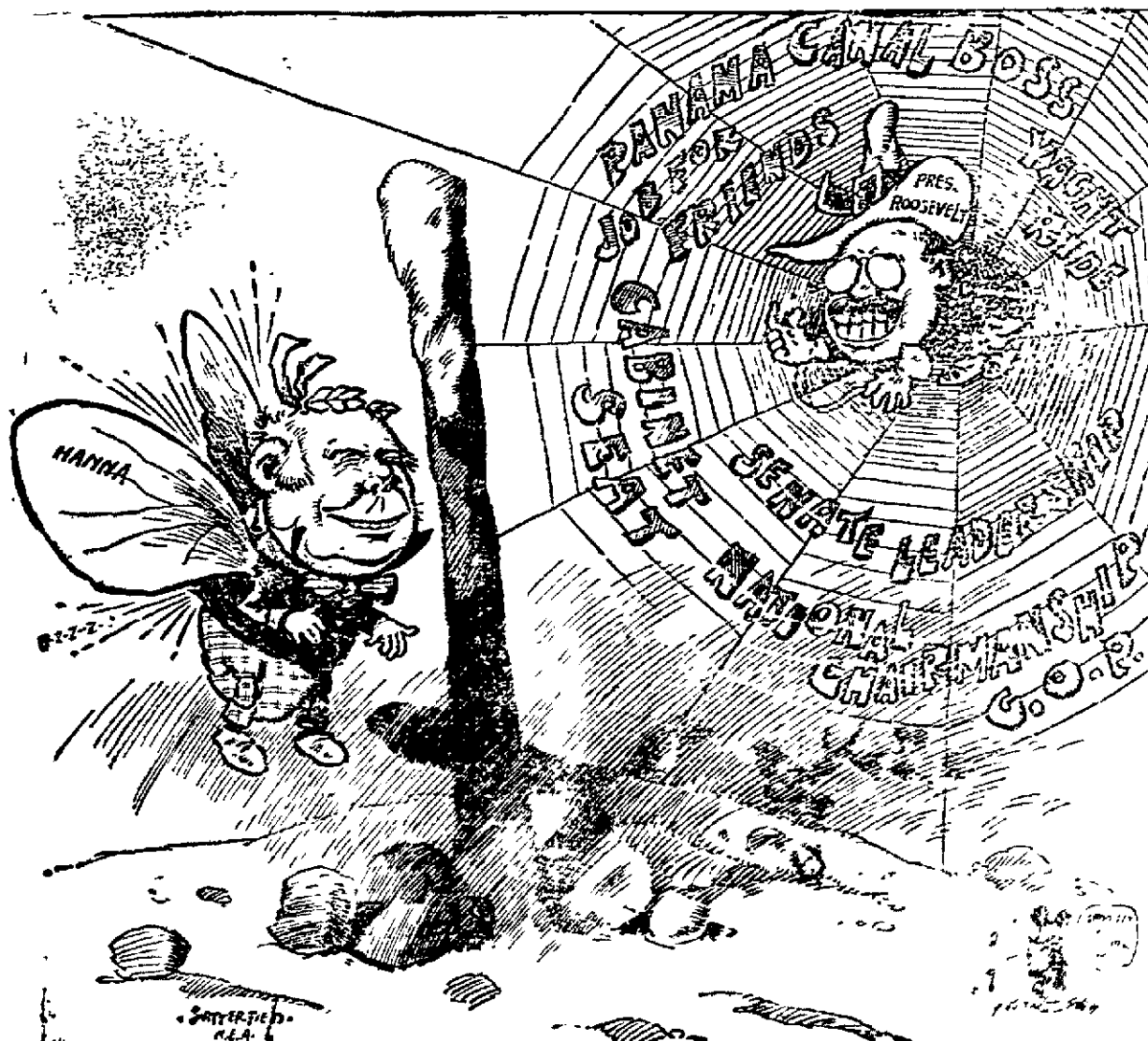
"I don't like your looks," yelled the infuriated Cote. "Maybe you would look better dancing; begin," and a bullet dipped the floor at the international president's feet. Then Shea began the dance, which concluded only after two other bullets had imbedded themselves in the floor.

THIS ARMLESS BOWLER IS A WONDER.



Bloomington Ill., Dec. 11.—Benjamin F. Coffman, treasurer of Logan county and a resident of Lincoln, is the champion armless bowler of the world. Coffman's performance, considering his great handicap, is marvelous. He has bowled as high as 201 with his artificial arms. A year ago last May he was struck by a train and both arms cut off below the elbow. His love of the game caused him to have made a mechanical contrivance to be attached to his right arm, consisting of four strips of curved metal similar to lamp chimney spires. These strips are powerful enough to hold the ball in position until ready to be delivered. Coffman is ready to meet any armless bowler in the world.

Through the liberality of Mrs. Margaret J. Platt, a private patients' pavilion will be erected at St. Luke's Hospital, New York.



ROOSEVELT: WON'T YOU WALK INTO MY PARLOR?

Be Glad Yuletide

Christmas Gifts

KATE CLYDE Discusses Them and Denounces the Folly of Frittering One's Time Away



WELL, it certainly is Christmas present time, and some of us have, as usual, been putting off things until the last moment; not that I disapprove of doing things at the last moment. Far from it. Only stupid and uninteresting people plan things way ahead of time. Inspiration goes with short notice. And if you haven't the real poetic feeling, the feeling that you have got to do the thing right away, and no time to think about it, is often enough inspiration.

Well, the language may be involved, but there's a good idea balled up in that paragraph. Back to the Christmas presents! It is certainly awfully hard to choose for other people; one would really almost rather give them the money. No, I take that back. It is not possible to present a fifty-cent piece as a present, but there are some presents we can buy for fifty cents that look mighty near a dollar's worth, so that an unsuspecting friend can't always tell. Anyway, the experiment is worth trying. And, oh, it is perfectly remarkable what pretty things we can buy for very little this year!

The Day of Daintiness.

You see, it is because even the cheaper things have grown so artistic. This day of plush bric-a-brac and painted photographs—the corset, colored, and bright green kind—is pretty well past, and instead we have daintily colored prints that look just like water colors and quaint art nouveau desk and toilet table articles made after artistic designs in inexpensive metals.

And I must say I both like to give and I like to receive something useful—a book, a print, a cushion for my divan, to entertain a dull man.



something to hold my pens, or my ideas when I have them. I am going to give one of my best girl friends a book of pen and ink illustrations by a well known artist, and I know she will bless me and thank me in her heart every time she brings it out to entertain a dull and uninteresting man. Then, another girl is going to get a brass inkstand and tray combined, which will be very pretty on her writing desk. A bachelor friend will have bestowed upon him a picturesque brass bowl which will look well in his den and incidentally hold his ashes. Oh, dear me! Not his ashes, but the ashes of his defunct cigars and cigarettes.

If some one were to give me a dainty bit of neckwear to go with my best blouse I wouldn't so much mind. And let me tell you that is quite a nice present for a girl you know intimately; also collar and cuff sets of sheer linen, with the owner's monogram embroidered in two colors, are very smart to go with plain blouses. A hatpin is always welcome, remember that, and so is a good book. But don't buy note paper; most girls have decided and "cranky" ideas on the subject.

Calendars? Well, there can be too much of that. I received seven one Christmas. But an umbrella—oh, that's always a nice present, considering how one loses umbrellas—and, to return to inexpensive things, so is a wrought iron or china candlestick with a candle and shade matching the decorations of the girl's room.

Oh, I'm sure you will do beautifully with your Christmas presents. You can't go very far wrong this year.

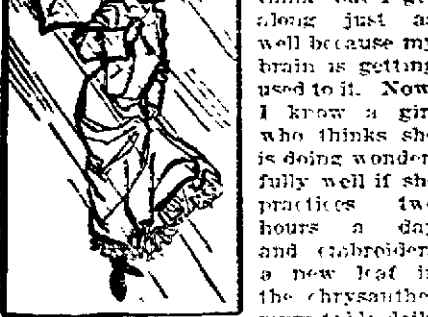
That's a nice way of discussing the subject, isn't it? But the fact is I want to talk about something else.

The "Busy" Girl.

It is a wonder to me how some girls have so much spare time. The twenty-four hours are so crowded with things that I sometimes don't even have time to think that I get along just as well because my brain is getting used to it. Now, I know a girl who thinks she is doing wonderfully well if she practices two hours a day and (coughs) a chrysanthemum table dolly she is making.

She got soaking wet in the rain. She will unselfishly inform you that she has had a busy day.

My sakes alive, as the old women say, I wonder what sort of a time she would think she was having if she rushed around and got soaking wet in the rain.



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for fear it would bring bad luck, and I'm afraid I can't get it back. "And here is that lost card letter you sent to me. I can't for the life of me find the other notes you wrote. I must have destroyed them."

"And it's the oddest thing about your photograph. I thought it was in the top drawer of my desk, but it isn't, and I've looked all through the trunks in storage and even in the attic, and I can't find it. But if I ever run across it I give you my word I'll send it right away."

(And you had told him you kept that photograph where you could look at it every day!)

Ah, well, it is a man's care for you. Always unpleasant. To know some good man cares for you. To know some good man cares for you. To know some good man cares for you.



Women Are the Angels Of A Christmastide

IMAGINE to yourself Christmas in a mining camp where there are no women! What would the "boys" do? Some of the miners would forget altogether that it was Christmas. They would rise with the dawn if it were a winter day, swallow greasy flapjacks, bacon and scalding hot coffee and go out to ply pick and shovel all day long, coming home at night, cold, stiff and weary, merely to repeat the greasy flapjack and fried bacon and hot coffee performance and then sink into their bunks to lose themselves in sleep.

Others remember it is Christmas and do not work. What is there for them? They hang around their shanties, wash and mend their clothes, mayhap, then play cards. The married ones and

would have been some pleasant, harmless hot spiced drinks all round, not the awful liquid fire that drowns man's memory to his ruin.

And at evening, of course, there would be card games and checkers—what else? Yet in the intervals the toughest, most hardened of the men who have forgotten they ever had mothers would have joined their rough voices to the chorus in "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," and "Watchman, Tell Us of the Night."

Christmas is the festival of holy motherhood and nurturing tenderness. It is at this season that the work of women for helpless and unfortunate children is most manifest. Every normal woman has a natural mother soul toward our whole unhappy, sinning,

mothers too. Their parents are the wretched poor and shiftless who always have too many children. A woman's place is at home, you say. But what Christmas joy, what joy of any kind, would the numerous progeny of the unfit have if it were not for the good women who spend many hours away from their homes every year to be mothers and helpers and comforters in place of those who are too ignorant to realize their duty to their children.

Foundling asylums somehow stir the most tender, pitiful feelings of a woman's soul, and no wonder. The closing of a baby's velvet soft, clinging fingers around a grownup's fingers has sent strange vibrations through the frame of a rough man before now. With the best of care and the tenderness of parents there is often due to children a perpetual apology for their involuntary appearance in this world. What then of the waifs that have none to care for them at all, that would perish of cruel hunger and pain but for the ministrations of the benevolent? Women understand this with subtle instinct, and so at Christmas most of all, which is celebrated because of the birth of a Divine Child nineteen centuries ago, women make happy the inmates of founding asylums, orphan's homes and children's hospitals.

Oh, yes, Christmas is, above all the rest of the year, the day of women and children.

The child's thoughts are of the presents it will get, the woman's are of the presents she will give. First, there is her own family. Every member must be provided for. Are there students of her blood away at college, young people away at work? Plum cakes and baskets of such delicacies as can be provided nowhere else than at home must be sent to each of the absent, while those at home must be equally remembered. Those nearest her being taken care of in advance, the woman's mother heart goes out to the rest of the world—to the children at first, then to the grown people in the homes for the incurable and for the aged and to the inmates of hospitals, and for these charities young ladies and old ones do not hesitate to beg and wheedle and flatter in the most shameless manner. At the Christmastide women, young and old and of all races and beliefs, beg and hustle and work and give, bless them, and Jewish women are many a time among the most actively benevolent of all.

Ministering Christmas angels are the devoted women of the college settlements in the slum hearts of the cities, where the children many a time are ignorant of the meaning of the word "country" as distinguished from town and literally believe that all the earth is a mass of brick walls and gleaming, iron railed trolley car streets. If anarchy is ever to be counteracted among our foreign population it will be largely through such work as that done by women in the slum settlements of our cities, who labor most of all at Christmastide to fill with light the places made dark by ignorance. In deed and word sermon these women messengers of grace to people of all nations preach ever, but most of all at Christmas time, the glorious, ceaseless religion of human love and charity.

There was one woman Christmas angel who ministered yearly to 10,000 souls, whose all embracing love was poured out upon the just and the unjust, who knew no race or creed, who recognized no crime, depravity or unworthiness at the sacred giving season, who knew only that those who hour after hour filed past her were made in God's image. Year after year when Christmas came bright, gentle Emma Booth-Tucker of the Salvation Army stood in the center of the vast Madison Square Garden, New York, and, hour by hour, passed out dinner baskets and sweet, inspiring words to those who marched by in the doleful procession of the miserable. This year the baskets will be there, but the Christmas angel is no more with her people.

LILLIAN GRAY.

GERMAN BARONESS DISCUSSES SERVANTS.

Baroness von Oertzen-Barber is president of the New York German Housewives' society, but her work in connection with this society is nothing compared to her interest in the intelligence offices of that city. She often has reported under an assumed name employment agencies that were not reputable. The baroness speaks interestingly on the subject of the servant and the mistress. "There is no reason," says she, "why women should have trouble with servants. I find the servants usually are not at fault. There are isolated cases of lazy and dishonest girls, but most of the foreign servants, especially those of Germany, are industrious and faithful. Good servants will not stay with an exacting and cruel employer, and one cannot blame them. Usually a good servant will not stay with a woman who is her inferior. The best way to avoid trouble is to treat the maid as if she were human."

THE LAST DUKE BACHELOR.

Now that the Duke of Roxburghe has married Miss May Goelet there is no single member of the strawberry leaves left upon the matrimonial market. The young Marquis of Eute is the next in rank of unmarried and unengaged bachelors; but, being a Roman Catholic, his choice of a bride is naturally somewhat restricted. Lord Hardwick and Lord Granard are a couple of unmarried earls, and Lord Howard de Walden affords another instance of a great and wealthy party. Speaking of dukes, the heirs to two great dukedoms are still unmarried. These are Lord Percy, son of the present Duke of Northumberland, and Lord Dour, heir to the dukedom of Wellington.

THE CHRISTMAS WISH

By LUCILLE PENNAVEAU



I
"What will Christmas bring to me?"
Asked a little child
Kneeling at his mother's feet
Looking down, she smiled:
"Toys and books and pretty things
Mother's boy will get,
And a lot of sweets and nuts
For my little pet."



II
"What will Christmas bring to me?"
Asked a little child,
Looking in his mother's face,
Patient, worn and mild,
"Mamma's darling boy is cold.
Stockings, shoes and coat
Would keep my boy so warm and snug.
Is that what you wrote?
When you say your prayers you'll add,
'God bless Santa Claus.'"

III
"What will Christmas bring to me?"
Asked a little child,
Homeless, hungry and alone
In the night so wild,
Snow and sleet around him pile
Shimmering and white.
On a stone he lays his head,
Resting for the night.
When he says his prayers he'll add,
"Take me, Santa Claus!"

IV
"What will Christmas bring to us?"
Ask we all each year,
All alike, the rich, the poor,
Waiting for our share.
Each some want has, unsupplied,
Each some boon would crave;
Hoping, waiting—at Yuletide
Faintest hearts are brave.
All unite in Christmas prayer—
"Bless us, Santa Claus!"



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find time to sit around like an old tabby cat doing embroidery. It was the remark of a friend of mine. And, really, I didn't much blame her, for the girl seen doing fancy work and not much else.

I would like to say it all the time, morning, noon and night, to women—be practical.

"I Want Dem Presents Back." Yes (this is not the same subject, but never mind)—yes, it is rather sad in a romantic way to send a man's presents back to him after it is all over. (I don't know these tears. I have just been through it myself.) But think how it spoils the dignity and pathos when you have to account for some of the missing ones somewhat after this fashion:

(And of course you have to account for them; you wouldn't have him think you were holding anything back from sentiment or otherwise.)

"I am sorry the Japanese idol has its pose missing. It flew off accidentally one day when the maid was dusting."

"And the danger paper cutter is gone. A ma-a friend of mine took it away

ones; far from it. I am simply speaking in general terms because it sounds better."

So, as we are talking of men, here's a merry Christmas to you and to the man you love, and if you don't love him here's to the man that you will love, for there is nothing in the world that gives you such a fine "Christmas" feeling as to know that some good, big hearted, strong man cares for you and watches over you, and (I don't care if this loses me every strong-minded woman friend I have) that feeling is a Christmas present every woman ought to have.

Kate Clyde
New York.

A woman of Washington who applied for a license as chamber was examined in accordance with the law, and having been found qualified to act as manager of a stationary engine, a license was issued to her.

those who have mothers and sweet hearts probably remember to write to let their home. Those who have not and who cannot bear the frightful loneliness and lack of all that makes Christmas cheer in civilization many a time drag their memories with fiery waters and end the sacred, beautiful day with a carouse that will give them oblivion for a few hours and whole days of dyspepsia and bitter regrets afterward. Heaven have mercy on these! They are well intentioned men who have forgotten they ever had mothers. Oh, of all the places and seasons—Christmastide in a camp where there are only men!

If only there were a few good women in that camp how different it would be! There would be a Christmas dinner for all, even for the lone men who have forgotten they ever had mothers. Their might not be any powdered sugar or any eggs but "deserted" ones, yet the women would have made a fruit cake, and they would have washed the cut and stones off the curtains though it had to melt snow to get water to do it with. The shanties would have been clean, bright and shining, there would have been some warm, new garment for the men, there

suffering race. She cannot be a mother to those who think they know so much more than she does; so she takes under her wing the neglected little children and seeks always and everywhere to make them happy, to fit them for taking care of themselves in the cruel years when they shall not have even a foster parent to mother them. In city after city of this land women maintain homes for unfortunate young ones. In one city perhaps they support a home and industrial school for crippled children, much of the fund that maintains the school through the year being raised from concerts, bazaar, donations and festivities in the weeks immediately preceding Christmas.

Other organizations of women annually appeal at the holiday season for the "little mothers," hapless girls, and sometimes boys, whose shoulders are bowed and whose child faces are shadowed with responsibility before they are ten years old because of taking care of baby brothers and sisters. You will see them on the streets any hour of the day tugging a flock of little ones or trundling a baby wagon, and the ladies who are putting some joy into their lives class the caretaking boys as little



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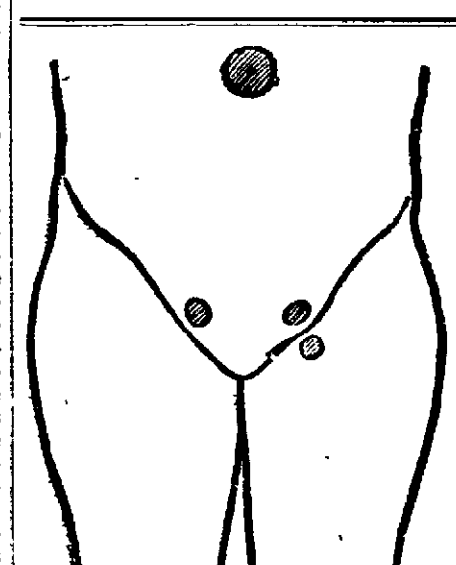
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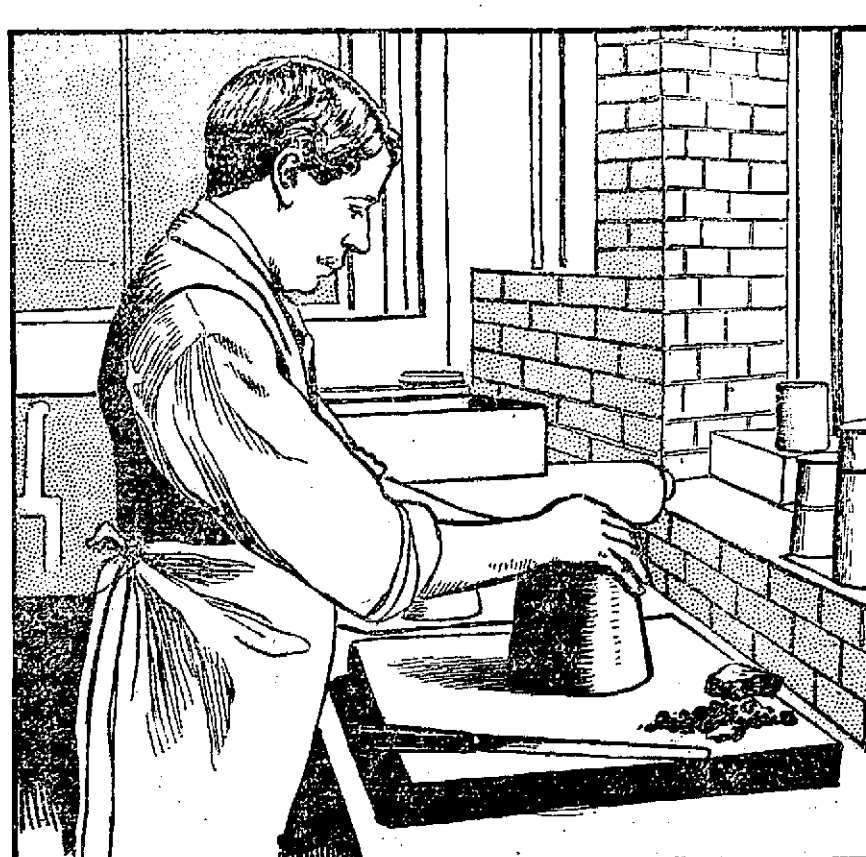
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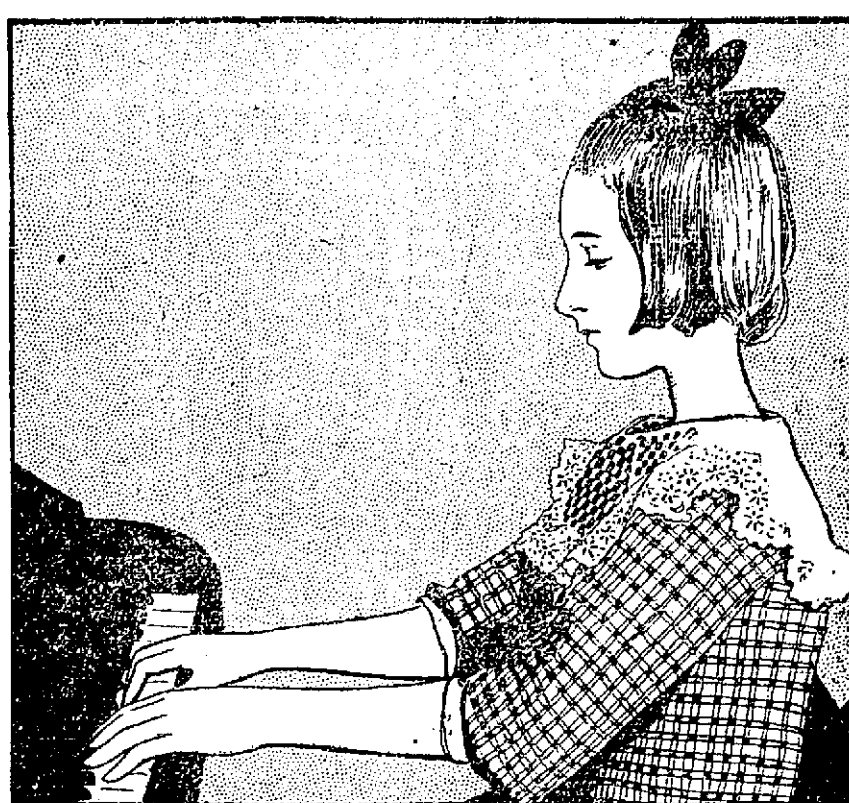
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THE LATEST MUSICAL PRODIGY.



Ruth Ryan is the name of this eleven-year-old girl who is such a skilled musician that she can execute the most difficult of the masterpieces of such composers as Mozart, Beethoven, Chopin and Handel. She is the daughter of a New York physician and has been famed for her musical ability ever since she was seven years old. Musicians who have listened to her interpretations declare that she will assuredly rank as one of the distinguished pianists of the new world. She is a slight, delicate looking child with small features, the greatest outward sign of her musical ability being her hands, the fingers of which are long and tapering.

Few outside the profession know that latter day artists make use of a paint derived from the bones of mummies. This paint is of a rich brown hue and is practically permanent. It is chiefly used by portrait painters in depicting brown hair. What makes the paint difficult to obtain is the fact that it can only be made from bodies preserved 2,000 to 3,000 years ago, when the art of embalming was at the apex of its perfection. Our illustration shows a workman busily engaged in grinding up mummy bones to obtain the precious paint.

Xmas-giving Made Easy

If you are undecided what to give for Christmas you should stop in and see our line of Holiday Goods and you will be sure to find what you want. As helpful suggestions we mention:

- POCKET BOOKS,
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Of the headquarters of the old established Candy Kitchen, 33 South Park Place. I have the largest and finest assortment of confectionery ever seen in the city of Newark. Our little factory is busy day and night. I have two tons of extra fine assorted Sultana Mixed Candy—special for the holidays—for 5 cents per pound. Look in the window. Also two tons of new mixed nuts at 15 cents per pound or two pounds for 25 cents. Delicious coconut bonbons, 10c per pound; a delicious fruit bar 10c per pound; our cream bonbons 10c per pound; our chocolate walnuts, colored pecans, filberts 15c per pound; our delicious cream dates 10c per pound; our oranges, Navels, Florida, Mexican sweet from 20 to 30c per doz; our best bannans 10 and 15c per doz; our walnuts 15c per pound; pecans, 15c; persills, 15c; filberts 15c; extra fine paper shell almonds, 15c per pound; our best Malaga grapes 15c per pound; our Turkish figs, 10 and 15c per pound; our packages from 1 pound, 1-2 pound, 2 pounds, 5 pounds, the Lowney, Hazely, delicious Stacy, Gunther, Low, the best in the city—guaranteed, from 15 to 50c a box. Come over and see me before you buy your Christmas Sweets. Get my prices—I can save you 25 per cent on each purchase of \$1.00. I will give one box of assorted chocolate bonbons free. Remember our wholesale prices at retail. Goods guaranteed, if not satisfactory, return and get your money back.

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AN ENERGETIC GOVERNOR.

John H. Mickey, the chief executive of Nebraska, is a man who is continually "doing things." It will be remembered that he refused to attend the inaugural ball last January because he objects to dancing. Recently he astonished his staff by declaring that he felt in need of rest and recreation and forthwith proceeding to don overalls and invade a wheat field, where he worked away as though his life depended upon his exertions.



JOHN H. MICKEY.

ed upon his exertions. Governor Mickey is a native of Iowa, but has been a resident of Nebraska since 1887. He is a Methodist and, in addition to having objections to dancing, frowns upon card playing, theater going and similar amusements. He is also in favor of prohibition.

A NOTED AMERICAN BEAUTY.

Herewith is reproduced the latest portrait of the noted American beauty Miss Gladys Deacon, daughter of the late Edward Parker Deacon, who in 1892 shot and killed Edward Abelle at



MISS GLADYS DEACON.

Cannes, France. Miss Deacon has lived abroad with her mother for many years. Last year she was reported engaged to the Duke of Norfolk, earl marshal of England, but it developed that she had rejected him. Now, however, rumor is busy linking their names together again and more persistently than on the former occasion. It will be remembered that Miss Deacon was also reported engaged last year to the crown prince of Germany.

A Cuban baby is baptized when it is two weeks and a day old at the very latest. A Cuban baptismal party would not think of walking to church even though the building be next door.

GOOD OLD SANTA CLAUS

By JOE LINCOLN

I never was the kind of man to sit around and scold
 And swear there's nothin' good on earth exceptin' that that's old,
 And consequently all that's new is bad as bad can be—
 No, sir! I ain't that kind at all, and never was, you see.
 I own right up the fast express 'll beat the one hoss shay;
 I give right in that candles wan't what arc lights are today;
 But there's some things that's good enough, and when the folks that's slick
 Start in "improvin'" Santa Claus, that's where you hear me kick.

They show him in the magazines with jest the same old load
 Of presents that he always had, but whizzin' down the road
 In one of those new auto carts, all brass and smell and noise,
 Enough to scare us old folks, not to mention girls and boys.
 They show him sittin' up aloft in some shebang that flies,
 With buzzin' wings and whirlin' things, a-swoopin' through the skies;
 They show him sailin' in a boat or on a wheel—but say,
 The Santa Claus that visits us comes in the old red sleigh.

He comes jest like he used to come when you and me was young
 And underneath the mantelpiece the home-knit stockin's hung;
 He comes jest like he used to come when it was still and dark,
 And in that little attic room we used to lay and hark,
 And hear, against the frosty panes, the snow squalls buzz and beat,
 Till, in the lulls, up overhead we'd hear the prancin' feet
 And catch the jingle of a bell, a scuffle in the flue—
 The wind and snow we'd call it now, but then, you see, we knew.

He comes jest like he used to come when Mother in her lap
 Would take, in her own mother way, a sleepy little chap
 And tell him tales about the place where Santa makes the toys
 He brings, when Christmas time comes round, to little girls and boys,
 And of his dancin' reindeer team, and of his warm fur coat,
 And of the big thick beard that grewed around his chin and throat,
 And of that sleigh all filled up full of presents in a heap—
 Until we'd almost see him there afore we dropped to sleep.

So when I'm sittin' by the fire and my own youngster brings
 Them pictures showin' Santa perched in motor carts and things,
 And asks me if they're really true, I take him on my knee
 And tell him jest the same old tales that Mother told to me;
 And 'tain't no dressed up city swell a-pushin' on a bike;
 It ain't no goggled leatherhead a-buzzin' down the pike.
 No, sir! The Santa Claus that comes to him on Christmas day
 Is jest the good old chap that owns the reindeer and the sleigh.

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THE NEW BRITISH AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON.

Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the new British ambassador to Washington, is a man of interesting personality. In addition to being a diplomat and lawyer, he is a writer of reputation. From his pen have come a life of his father, the late Major General Henry Durand, and at least one novel, "Helen Trevelyan," which appeared twelve years ago.



Sir Mortimer, as he is generally called, comes to Washington from Madrid, whither he had been transferred from Persia, where he gained the name of being one of the most astute diplomats Great Britain ever sent to Teheran. He was born in India in 1850 and spent many years of his life in the Indian civil service. Indeed, he is one of the very few members of the Indian civil service that have been transferred into the diplomatic corps.

BUSIEST AMERICAN IN PANAMA.

An American who has been kept very busy ever since the new republic of Panama came into existence is Ezekiah A. Gudger, the United States consul general to Panama. Mr. Guderger even now finds difficulty in keeping up with his official duties. He is a native



EZEKIAH A. GUDGER.

of North Carolina and has been connected with Panama affairs ever since 1891, when President McKinley appointed him to a consularship. His record and his familiarity with conditions existing in the isthmus led to his present appointment as head of consular affairs in the new republic.

Letters from Children to Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus—Christmas is drawing near so I thought I would write and tell you what I want for Christmas. I would like to have a set of furs, a mackintosh, handkerchief, story books, games, a little stove, a doll head for my doll and another doll besides. A ring, a pair of red hair ribbons, a piano, a new pair of skates for my own old skates are broke, a table for our big set of dishes, candy, nuts, oranges and a nice big sled and a wagon. Don't forget the nigger doll and a tree. Don't forget mamma and papa, and my brother and sister.

BERNICE CHRISMAN.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a nice nigger doll, sled, doll head, some story books, some handkerchiefs, and a nice Christmas tree and a nice doll that will cry and sleep and talk and a lot of cakes, horns and nuts, candy and oranges and peanuts. From little DORIS CHRISMAN.

Dear Santa Claus—I thought I would write and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a go cart and a pair of skates and a sled and some candy, nuts and oranges. That is all I remain your little girl.

EDNA McCANN.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a doll and a buggy cab. And if you can bring me a coat I have tried to be good all year, and I will try another year. Your little friend, MANDY STEINKEMPER.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me sled, a hohokorse and a little man on a bicycle, and blocks and story books and nuts and candy and oranges. This is all, good bye,

EMMET RIOPEL.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a trunk, a work basket and a thimble and scissors and a little iron tea kettle and a pocket book and a stocking cap for my doll and a little pair of slippers for my doll and a Christmas story book and candy nuts and oranges. I will go to bed at 8 o'clock. Your little girl,

ANNA WARMAN.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little girl three years old. I want a doll and a doll buggy, and a little rocking chair and candy, nuts and oranges. I will go to bed early and sleep sound. I live at 304 Wilson street. My name is KATIE WADDELL.

Kind Santa Claus—I am a little boy seven years old. Please bring me a writing press, telephone, engine and cars, harness and cart for my dog, a drum, horn, money bank, street car

and story book and plenty of candy, oranges, nuts and bananas. I will be a good boy and go to bed early and don't forget to come. I live on East-ern avenue. My name is JOSEPH WILLIAMS.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy four years old. I want a suit of clothes, a little automobile and nuts and candy and oranges. I will go to bed early. Santa, please don't forget to come. I live at 304 Wilson street. My name is ROBERT WADDELL.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little girl four years old and I want you to bring me a stove, a table and chairs big enough to sit on, a set of furs and bring my brother Charley what he wants and Pauline Earler and Charley Bryson and Ray Mitchell some things too. Bring me chocolate chips. I live at 396 Andover street. You can get in the transom. From your little girl, MARY VERONSEA RODGERS.

Dear Santa Claus—Don't forget me this year. I want a big drum, one that will make lots of noise, and a big engine and tank, one car and caboose, and a pair of gum boots, the ones I have are too little I give them to my sister Mary. I want you to bring my Aunt Ellen and Mrs. Allison something too, and papa and mamma too. I live at 390 Andover street.

CHARLEY STIMSON RODGERS.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy just two years old. I would like you to bring me a pair of shoes, and a few little toys, just what you think is nice for me to play with and candy, nuts, and don't forget my little sister, fetch her a rattle box. My name is LITTLEON ABBOTT, 140 Miller street.

Dear Santa Claus—I would like for you to bring me a pair of red gloves, a pair of rubbers, No. 2, and some hair ribbons, a red hat and some new aprons, candy, nuts and oranges and please don't forget papa and mamma, and my little sister. Bring her a rattle box and rubber doll.

MARY ABBOTT, 140 Miller street.

Dear Santa Claus—I would like for you to bring me a pair of rubbers, mit-

tens, hair ribbons and new dress, candy, nuts and oranges. Please don't forget me. I live at 140 Miller street. Please bring papa and mamma some thing, too.

LUCIEL ABBOTT.

Dear Santa Claus—Please read this carefully. John Brown wants a tricycle and horse and buggy, and don't forget Jim and Mutz. They want a sleigh and a magic lantern, and bring Calvin and Cott's baby some things too. Bring these things to 365 East Main street, Newark, Ohio.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a sled, a trunk, set of furs, man on bicycle, story books and a doll head, doll furniture, nuts and candy and oranges. Good by. Your little girl, HELEN RIOPEL.

Dear Santa Claus—I want you to please bring me a pair of skates, a box of tools, a drum, a horn, a ball, a book, a game, a pair of leggings, and some oranges, nuts and figs. Please leave my things at grandma's, number 69 Cedar street. I am only 8 years old. Your little boy, ORRVILLE BRODBECK, 121 Dewey avenue.

Dear Santa Claus—I will now sit down and take the pleasure of writing to you to tell you what I would like for Christmas, as following, rocking chair, one pair of leggings, little tub and wash board, one pair of gloves, some candy, oranges and mixed nuts. See that you don't forget me, as I will have my stocking hanging by the chimney, and in all preparations for you. I live on South Central avenue, Newark, Ohio. Yours truly, INEZ CHRISTMAN.

Dear Santa Claus—Please don't forget me. I live up on King street over Granville hill. Please bring me a nice sled and a baby cab and dollie with a silk dress and bring me peanuts and candy and three picture books and dishes, and a little stove, and a gold ring and bring me everything you can spare. It seems like a long time to wait until Christmas. Good by Santa, don't forget my name is MYRTLE LOVELL.

Dear Santa Claus—Will you please bring me a dolly and buggy cab. Please bring me a set of furs and a cup and saucer, and some nuts and candy and apples. My little sister Gracie wants a doll. Good bye, from your little friend, ETHEL LOOKER.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little orphan boy. Will you kindly bring me a pair of red top boots No. 11, and a fire

THE CHRISTMAS TREE

BY MARGHERITA ADLINA HAMM

THIS TREE YOU SEE COMES ONCE A YEAR.

WHEN DAYS ARE DARK AND NIGHTS ARE DREAR, AND ON THE HEARTH THE FIRE BURNS CLEAR, AND SNOW CLOUDS GATHER FAR AND NEAR, THEN SANTA CLAUS WITH HEARTY SMILE WITH A REINDEER TEAM FOR MANY A MILE BRINGS TREE AND TOYS FOR LITTLE BOYS, AND DOLLS WITH CURLS FOR LITTLE GIRLS, AND BOOKS AND DRUMS AND SUGAR PLUMS AND TOPS AND MOPS AND CORN THAT POPS AND BUILDING BLOCKS IN WOODEN BOX, PENKNIVES WHICH CUT AND GOATS THAT BUTT, BASEBALLS AND BATS AND CANDY CATS AND RATS THAT WIND AND RUN ABOUT AND PUMPS WHICH PUMP A WATER-SPOUT, AND THEN BEFORE HE RUNS AWAY HE LEAVES A CARD WHICH IS TO SAY

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS DAY

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books. Bring my little sister Adele a doll that talks and goes to sleep, a cradle, a little chair and a set of dishes. Bring my little brother, Frederic, dear Santa Claus, please don't miss me because I will be a good girl. Your truly,

MARGARET L. STAUFFER, No. 64 Moull street.

Dear Old Santa—I am a nice little boy, at least my big sister says so, and I would like you to bring me a nice little doll that will go to sleep, a go-cart and a cradle. I would also like to have a drum, a horn and a little red wagon, but if you will bring me a doll I'll be satisfied. Bye bye, Your little boy, WALTER EARLY.

Dear Santa Claus—I thought I would write you a letter for Christmas. I would like a pair of rubbers and a pair of pants and some candy and nuts and a pair of stockings and a pair of suspenders. Please don't forget my old friend, Mr. Griffith, who lives on North street. My name is Thomas Abbott. I live at 140 Miller street.

Dear Santa Claus—I thought I would tell you what I want for Christmas. I would like a pair of pants and a shirt and a pair of rubbers and a pair of suspenders and a pair of gloves and some candy and nuts and oranges, and that is all. I live at 140 Miller street. I am 10 years old and do not forget me.

HARRY ABBOTT.

Dear Santa Claus—My name is John Criticos. I live on West Main street, 236, and I want a pair of skates and a tumbling jack, and I want a new sled, and I want a drum and a train of cars and I am eight years old. I guess that is all today.

Old Mr. Santa Claus—I hope you have not forgotten little Sadie May Ferry, who lives on Moull street. Will you please come to our house and bring me a set of furs and doll, and bring my sister Jennie a set of furs, a doll, and my brother Charles a train of cars and new red sled, and our new baby sister something nice, for this is the first Christmas she ever saw. Bring us a lot of candy, nuts and popcorn and a set of furs and a doll, something nice. Don't forget papa and mamma, grandma and grandpa, and Uncle Will. He wants a big lot of candy. This is from your little girl, SADIE MAY FERRY, No. 79 Moull street.

P. S.—Oh, Santa, don't be afraid to come down the chimney, for you won't get burnt, for we have the meter now.

SADIE M. FERRY.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy five years old. I wish you would bring me a gun and a box of cartridges and a tool chest, and I don't care how much candy and nuts you bring me, but please don't forget the gun and tool

so please do not forget to come to my house with lots of nice things. I would like a rubber coat, rubber hat and rubber hip boots, so I can be a real fireman; also bring me a drum and skates, a box of tools, a little telephone, a fire engine with horses, a boat and a nice

475 Hudson avenue.

Dear Santa—Please send me a pair of boots, a pair of skates and an overcoat, and a new suit, a sack of candy and nuts and pop corn.

GEORGE D. WINTERS, Age 8, 39 South Sixth street.

Dear Santa—Please bring me a pair of boots and a pair of skates, a suit of clothes, a sweater, stockings and gloves, candy, nuts and popcorn.

WILLIAM F. WINTERS, Age 10, 30 South Sixth street.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a trunk, a work basket and a thimble and a pair of scissors and a stocking cap for my doll, and a little pocket book, and a little iron tea kettle, and a Christmas story book and candy, nuts and oranges. Your little girl, GOLDIE H. WARMAN.

Dear Old Santa Claus—Please bring me a knife with a chain to it and a pair of rubber boots, and some waists, and anything else that you me.

RICHARD SHIDE, Cherry Valley.

Dear Santa Claus—Please send me a pair of boots and a drum and some candy and nuts.

JOHN MURPHY, Age 9, No. 422 Baltimore street.

Dear Santa Claus—Please send me a fire engine, a street car, an automobile, humpty dumpty and an air ship, a Christmas tree and something nice for my little brother. Yours truly, JESSE MANLY FOSTER.

Dear Santa Claus—Please send me a pair of skates, a sled, rubber boots and lots of things.

LEO MURPHY, Age 7, 422 Baltimore street.

Dear Santa—I thought I would tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a pair of skates and a sled, a doll that goes to sleep and a set of dishes, nuts and candy. I live on Jefferson street with my grandma Minton. From ADA SEXTEN.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a great big doll, one that goes to sleep when I rock her, and also bring me a cradle for my doll. Besides my cradle I will need a dresser, and a washstand, chair and rocking chair. Then I also will need a set of dishes, knives, forks, spoons, and a great big sack of candy.

HINTS TO HOLIDAY SHOPPERS

CHRISTMAS

Don't forget our GREAT MARK-ED Down Overcoat Sale.

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Late purchases and Overcoats on back order have arrived our size bigger than we expected. In order to move them and reduce them in number, and prepare our room for spring improvements, we will offer to the public a BIG HARVEST in the way of a

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Our holiday line of neckwear is the handsomest and largest ever offered in the city. We can show you thousands of any grade in which you may be interested. Four-in-hands, Ascots, English Squares and all the late shapes. Choice
50c to \$1.50

Umbrellas.
Always in good taste as gifts—they will be used more so than ever this season as the result of the special sale we are having on the manufacturers' sample line we purchased. This sale makes it possible for you to get gift umbrellas for men, women and children at a great saving in price—come in and see them before the selection becomes broken. There are a great many grades—too many to describe.

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These are the logical gifts for men. House coats that they like to put on for an evening at home. No store can show a greater assortment than ours—none that offers greater values—Plain and fancy colored two tone woolsens of finest texture—fancy plaid collars and lapels—ornamented with silk cord to match—the finer all silk and velvet kinds as well
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These come also in the two tone reversible fabrics—almost any color you can think of—cloth bound and silk cord edges—heavy fancy girdles to match
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These are always acceptable as gifts—we have an especially elaborate supply for the holiday season. Gloves for dress or street wear—heavy gloves for workmen—lined and unlined kid—woolen gloves and mittens—we have every kind and at all prices, from
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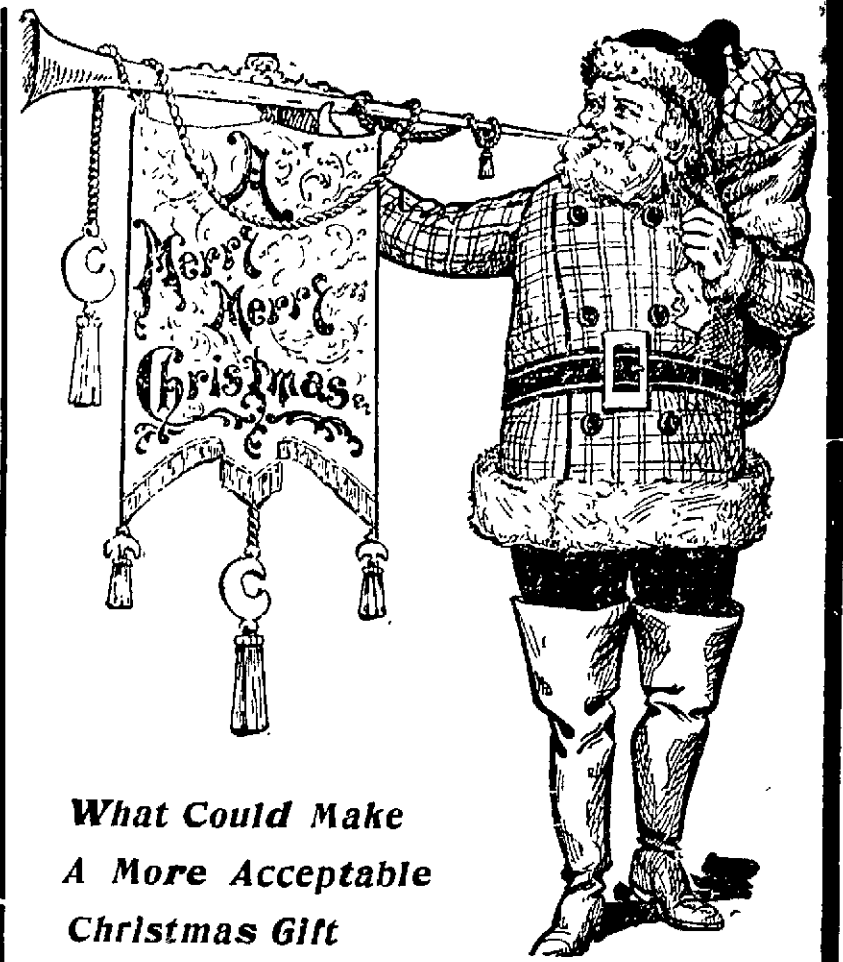
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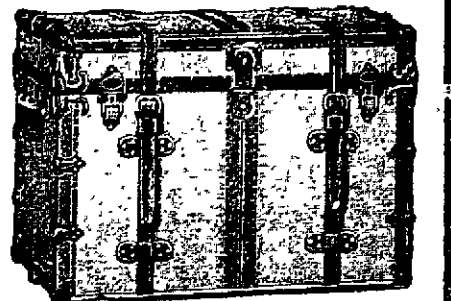
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Letters to Santa Claus

(Continued from Page 12.)

chest, and I have a little sister three years old and she wants a doll baby and buggy cab and a new coat, and, say, Santa, don't forget the baby; she is so small to tell me what she wants, so I will leave that to your own judgment. Now, don't forget me and sister and baby and don't forget where we live. 337 Granville street.

LEO KUSSELL AND SISTER.

Dear Santa Claus—I would like for you to please bring me a doll baby, a buggy cab, a little bed and a cradle and a gold mug and necktie for papa.

DOROTHY DENNEY.

382 Eastern avenue.

Dear Santa Claus—I would like for you to bring me a doll, buggy cab, a pair of hair ribbons, a ring and a pair of stockings.

HELEN BENTFIELD.

381 East Main street.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a tool chest and an engine and a printing press and a football.

LARON FULK.

99 Granville street.

Dear Santa Claus—I wish you would bring me a punching bag and a writing desk and nuts and candy and cranberries. Good-bye.

WILLIE ALSPACH.

P. S.—Throw in a magic lantern.

Dear Santa Claus—I want a blackboard, two boxes of chalk and one eraser and one box game. Please leave this at 39 Western avenue.

RAYMOND CRAWMER.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a magic lantern and a book. Santa Claus, please bring me a kicking mule. Good-bye, dear Santa Claus.

No. 8 South Fourth street.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a buggy and a doll and a blackboard and a pair of leggings and a dress and candy and a cup and saucer and a cupboard and a writing desk and a cradle and an ironing board and a rocking chair. Good-bye.

HAZEL BALES.

33 Holiday street.

Dear Old Santa—I like a little drum and a little baby cab for Christmas and oldie, yours, from

LITTLE PEARL EVANS.

Dear Santa—Please bring my little sister a buggy cab. Please bring my little brother a cup and saucer. Please bring me a sack of candy. Please bring me a pair of boots if you can. My name is Walter Reichert. Sixth street.

WALTER REICHERT.

Dear Santa—I want a go-cart that works like a large one; the one I want is in Paine's store in the West End. I want a new rocking chair and a set of

King avenue

little dessert dishes to go with my little ice cream freezer and a new dress for my doll, Jennie. She is the one that has the long hair. I want a doll jacket from Stephan's racket store and lots of candy and nuts. Please bring my tree up real nice. I live at 249 Wilson street. From your little girl,

ESTHER GRAEF.

Dear Santa Claus—I would like to have a sideboard, rocking chair and high chair for my dolls, a pair of hose, coat, dress skirt, hat dress and an apron. I would like to have a pair of hair ribbons and an umbrella. And bring mamma a pair of mittens. And please bring me a hood and bring Walter a cup and saucer. And bring papa a cup and saucer. Please bring Walter a pair of mittens.

HAZEL BEATRICE ATHEY.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a china closet, a table, a set of dishes, two dolls, a doll baby cab. Please bring me another money bank, a pig, for somebody did steal mine, a table cloth for my table, an automobile and a little carpet sweeper for Charles. Please don't forget to come to 63 West Main street.

CATHERINE MCGONAGLE.

Dear Santa—Please send me a pair of rubber boots, a book and ladder, stockings, a sweater, candy, nuts and cranberries and bananas.

PEARL WINTERS, age 6.

30 South Sixth street.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a big doll and sled. Please bring me a little piano. Please bring me a little writing desk. Please bring me a little cradle. Please bring me a pair of shoes. Please bring me a buggy cab. Good-bye.

DOROTHY CONNOR.

149 South Fourth street.

Dear Santa—Please bring me a nice new dress and a pair of arctics and a great big doll and lots of candy and nuts and oranges and a set of dishes, and bring something that boys like for my little brother, and I have a little sister, too, that likes nice things. My, you must have lots of money to bring so many Christmas presents. You must be awful stout to carry such loads on your back. Please wake me up so I can see you, but don't let mamma hear you. Don't forget mamma. She is awful good. I'm afraid our chimney isn't big enough for you, so you had better knock at the door and I will let you in and maybe I could see what you had for Edna and my other schoolmates. It is so cold you must wrap up awful good or you will freeze. Well, Santa, I will close. Yours truly,

IVY LOWELL.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little girl eight years old and would like you to bring me a big doll and go-cart, and don't forget my little brother Paul. He

King avenue

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy four years old. My name is Herbert Murphy and I want you to bring me a fire department, a horn, a rustic box, a game board and sled, and Santa, please do not forget brother Raymond,

Eastern avenue.

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Eastern avenue.

is five years old and would like to have a fire department and a watch and chain, not a dumb watch, though, but one that keeps good time. Now, dear Santa Claus, don't forget to come. I will go to bed at 8 o'clock. I live at 196 South Fifth street. Your little girl,

MARTINE CROW.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a sled, a pair of skates and a little cart and a man pulling it and a steamboat. This is all. Good-bye. Yours truly,

EARL BOWERS.

Dear Santa—As this will be the first Christmas I have spent in Newark, I thought I would write you a few lines and hope that I am not asking you for too much. I will tell you what I want. Well, I want a pair of kid gloves (white), and also a pair of house slippers, and also "Grim's Fairy Tale Book." Well, dear Santa, I guess this will be all I want for this Christmas. Please bring them and I will thank you ever so much. I wish you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

CATHERINE KANE.

89 North street.

Dear Santa Claus—I think I will write you a few lines and ask you if you will please bring me a big doll. I have a little sister; her name is Emma, and she would like to have a doll, too. Dear Santa, our Aunt Louise gave me and my sister a nice set of dishes last Christmas; it would be nice if we could have a little table to put the dishes on. I would like to have a nice buggy cab and a sled. Please bring me a nice story book and a pair of woolen slippers. This would be all I want this year. Good-bye. Yours affectionately,

ANNA WEILER, age 8 years.

33 East Holiday street.

Santa Claus—I am a small boy. I would like to have a balloon, wheelbarrow, bantam rooster, red wagon, grind organ, push cart, a team of horses, canary bird, a big elephant, a teddy bear, spin top, hand mits, overcoat, umbrella and a whole lot of oranges and prunes. A good boy, my mamma says, will get what he asks for. My name is

FREDDIE FAATZ.

25 Pataskala street.

Dear Santa Claus—Will you please send me A B C blocks, hand mits, grind organ, book of "Robinson Crusoe," red shirt, overcoat, red wagon, tin top, drum, cap, stockings, balloon, and don't forget the turkey. Will leave the door open for you, old Santa Claus, for I am the best boy in the ward and go to bed at 8 o'clock every night.

WILLIE KEHOE.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little girl of fourteen and I like a little doll, a cradle and a table and a go-cart and some candy and don't forget my little brother Joseph. He wants some candy and a little doll, and my name is Mary Cainor and I live on North Fourth street.

348 West Church street.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little girl of fourteen and I like a little doll, a cradle and a table and a go-cart and some candy and don't forget my little brother Joseph. He wants some candy and a little doll, and my name is Mary Cainor and I live on North Fourth street.

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as he would like to have a big ball and a jack in the box and candy, nuts and oranges. Good-bye. I live on Central avenue.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy just four years old, and I want a lot for Christmas. I want a sled and an express wagon and a billy goat and a gun and a set of building blocks and lots of candy and nuts and oranges.

CARL HEATWOLE.

201 South Fifth street.

Dear Santa Claus—My name is Harold Shaamon. I want a sled, a pair of skates, a football, a train of cars and a steam engine. Good-bye.

HAROLD SHANNON.

87 Tenth street.

Dear Santa Claus—It is almost Christmas and I drop you this letter to tell you what I would like to have. I would like a football, horn and a Christmas tree, cup and saucer and a knife and fork, some candy, oranges and nuts. Now, my name is

THOMAS MAZEY.

51 Columbia street.

Dear Santa Claus—My name is Dice Hayden, 131 North Third street. I would like a new pair of skates and an automobile and a lot of candy and nuts and a rubber ball. If you please, Good-bye, near Santa. From DICE.

Dear Santa Claus—It is almost Christmas and I drop you this letter to tell you what I would like to have. I would like to have a football, horn and a Christmas tree, cup and saucer and a knife and fork, some candy, oranges and nuts. My name is

CLARK MAZEY.

51 Columbia street.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy six years old and I live at 58 Columbia street. I would like to have you bring me a velocipede, a billy mule, a pair of rubber boots, a little coasting sled and anything else that you can spare. Good-bye. From your little boy,

JOHN CARLTON MOORE.

Dear Santa—I am a little girl. I will be six years old Christmas day. I want a set of furs, some candy and nuts and a doll that can walk and talk.

MARGUERITE DUNN.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little girl of fourteen and I like a little doll, a cradle and a table and a go-cart and some candy and don't forget my little brother Joseph. He wants some candy and a little doll, and my name is Mary Cainor and I live on North Fourth street.

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348 West Church street.

From your little boy and girl,

WILBER AND MINA RICE.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a good little girl of fourteen and wish you would buy me a doll, a bed and a go-cart. My brother wants a little tin wagon, a horn, a train of cars and lots of candy and oranges. Don't forget my little sister, two years old. Bring her a stick of candy and a rattle. Good-bye. My name is

IRENE GEORGE.

North End.

Dear Santa Claus—As Christmas is coming I will tell you what I want for Christmas—a horn, a new ring, a handkerchief, a new sled and some new stockings and candy and oranges, nuts. I will be a good boy. I live at 93 Pine street.

CHARLEY KIRKENDALL.

Dear Santa—I am a nice little boy I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a horn, a rattle-box, a rubber ball, a little horse and wagon, a set of blocks, a new pair of shoes, a new dress, some oranges, nuts and candy and anything you want to bring me. I will go to bed early. Good-bye, Santa. I live at 158 Union street.

CARL CHAFFIN.

Dear Santa Claus—As Christmas is only two weeks away I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I want some new hair ribbons and some handkerchiefs and a doll and some new stockings and some candy, nuts and oranges. I will be a good girl. My name is

CORA KIRKENDALL.

93 Pine street.

Dear Old Santa Claus—I would like to have you bring me a train of cars, two or three good story books, a billy mule, a drum, a Christmas tree, a long car that will go by itself, a toy gun and some candy and nuts. Your good boy,

ROBERT D. JONES.

248 West Church street.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me, for I am a good little boy, some story books, a doll, some blocks, a train of cars, candy and nuts. Yours,

PAUL E. JONES.

Dear Santa Claus—Please send me a hobby horse, a big top, a lantern, a rooster, paint box, red sweater and lots of peanuts and oranges, for I go to bed every night at 7 o'clock.

EDDIE FINK.

Wilson street.

Dear Santa Claus—My name is Carl Sniff. I live at 66 Seventh street, Newark, Ohio. I would like you to bring me a pair of skates and a sled and a story book and a game and some candy and nuts.

CARL SNIFF.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little girl seven years old. I go to school every day. My teacher's name is Miss Vance. I would like you to bring me a doll, a sled and a story book and a game and some candy and nuts.

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board and a little dust pan and some candy and nuts. LOIS MARPLE.

Ninth street.

Dear Santa Claus—I want a doll and a sled and a set of dishes and some nuts and candy. FLORENCE NORMAN.

52 Jefferson street.

Dear Santa Claus—If you please, will you bring me a nice set of dishes and little cupboard, a story book, a new doll and some candy, nuts, bananas and oranges.

HILDA BARRETT.

94 Wilson street.

Dear Santa Claus—My name is Juliet Besuden. I live at 105 West Church street. I want a Christmas tree and a box of candy, some handkerchiefs and a doll and some hair ribbons. Your loving

JULIET.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a doll, a ring, a sled, some books and some handkerchiefs. I won't mention nuts and candy, because I will get them anyhow. And dear Santa, don't forget the Foley twins, as they are too small to write. I will tell you what they want. Bring everything alike. They want two hobby horses, two music boxes, two drums, two horns and two loop-the-loops. Good-bye. From

ESTELLA DEVLIN.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a large doll and a bed for her to sleep in and some nice books for me to read and candy and nuts and a new coat and a set of furs, and O, dear Santa, let's of good things and games to

RUTH ROBINSON.

209 West Locust street.

Dear Santa Claus—I want a new dress, a pair of gloves, some paints and a fur and doll clothes, nuts and candy. My name is

GRACE HISLING BERRY.

56 Jefferson street.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a doll and a ball and a doll bed and furs and some candy and a trunk.

ESTHER DANTON.

27 Clinton street.

Dear Santa Claus—My name is Marie Bourner, 58 Western avenue. I want a doll and Helen wants a doll and a cab and Edward wants a pair of boots and some candy and nuts and that will be all.

FLORENCE SWICK.

P. S.—I will set out a lunch for you.

Dear Santa Claus—Will you please bring me a chair for my doll and a set of dishes and a tree and some candy and nuts, and please bring my little

brother a picture book and a wagon

and a fire department and an automobile and a collar for my dog, King, and please don't forget Mrs. Joyce.

27 Stanberry street.

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Dear Santa Claus—My name is Valaria Jones. I live at 67 Canal street. Please bring me a doll and a pair of skates and a blackboard and nuts and candy and a pair of shoes.

ELMER CADY.

Dear Santa Claus—I hope you will not forget me this year. I am seven years old and my name is Elmer Cady. I would like to have a sled, a drum, a pair of leggings and some street cars at 15 North Sixth street. Please call.

ELMER CADY.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a new dress and a pair of skates, a set of furs and some real good games and lots of candy and nuts and lots of fruit. Please do not forget to bring roses for grandma's grave and do not forget to visit the poor. This is about all for this. As ever,

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ALASKANS RESPECT THESE THREE MEN

MOST POPULAR RESIDENTS OF THE DISTRICT ARE A JUDGE, A BISHOP AND A REVENUE OFFICER.

The three most popular men in Alaska, strange to say, are a judge, a bishop and a revenue officer. Wherever you go in the country you will hear of these three men, and there is no one who has not words of praise for their work, no one who is not ready to tell you stories of their honesty and uprightness, and to proclaim that they are the three best men in the district. And such praise in a frontier country like Alaska means a great deal. These men are Judge James Wickersham, of the United States district court; Bishop Peter T. Rowe, of the Episcopal church, and Lieutenant David H. Jarvis, of the revenue cutter service, acting as collector of customs of the district.

AN UPRIGHT JUDGE

When you travel through Alaska for the purpose of asking questions, you are sure, sooner or later, to have someone say, "Why don't you wait until you

see Judge Wickersham, he knows more about this country than any other ten men." And when you finally do find Judge Wickersham, away up on the Yukon river somewhere, you become convinced, after five minutes' conversation that the statement is true. Alaska is his hobby and it is entirely safe to say that he knows more about the country, its people, its resources and its needs than any other man. Judge Wickersham was born in Illinois 46 years ago and went to Washington in the early 80's. In 1890 he was appointed to his present position. He was at once recognized as an able and distinguished judge. At the time of the judicial scandals at Nome Judge Wickersham was selected to go into that district and straighten matters out. This he did with a thoroughness that made him famous. He is an ethnologist of ability and has written much of great value on the native races of Alaska. He has explored practically

every nook and corner of Alaska, his last feat being an attempt to scale Mount McKinley, the highest peak on the American continent, which, however, was not successful. When Alaska is given a representative in congress, Judge Wickersham will without doubt be the man selected if he will accept the position.

A POPULAR BISHOP

Missionaries are very unpopular in Alaska. As is often the case a large number of them are men who have no business in the field, and as a result they do more harm than good. Bishop Rowe, however, is a different type of man. His executive ability is wonderful and he has the ability of making friends. He gets the hearts of the people and he does not "preach" continuously. He is a good-natured, jolly, big-hearted man who knows the trials and hardships of the frontiersman and shares them. He is as much at home in the miner's cabin or on the trail as he is in the pulpit. His great influence lies in the fact that he is what the miners know as a "mixer." There is no man in Alaska that the miner is more pleased to see in his cabin, no man for whom he has greater respect. Bishop Rowe was born in Canada in 1856 and was consecrated bishop of Alaska in 1895. Ever since that time he has lived continuously in Alaska, and there is scarcely a place in the country that he has not visited, most of his trips being made over the winter trails with a pack or a dog sled.

A HEROIC OFFICER

Lieutenant Jarvis still retains his commission in the cutter service, although he is acting as collector of customs. He is no less popular than Judge Wickersham and Bishop Rowe. He is a slender, young-looking man with a quiet manner, but an ability as an executive that is seldom excelled. As collector of customs he has filled a very difficult position in a manner that has brought him nothing but praise both

A MINISTER WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR MISSOURI BOODLE EXPOSE

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 19.—A true bill having been found. The charges are accepting railroad passes, demanding illegal fees and accepting a bribe. This ordinarily would seem remarkable—the indictment of the prosecuting attorney by the grand jury before which he is present in his official capacity—but the indictment is only one incident of many, and remarkable as it may seem, is attracting only casual attention.

Since the boodle inquiry had its inception, the grand jury having been in session periodically for six months, the following indictments have been returned. William Zeigler, of New York, head of the \$20,000,000 baking powder trust—bribery. Senator Frank Farris—bribery. Senator Buell Matthews—bribery. Senator Charles Smith—bribery. Senator W. B. Sullivan—bribery. Daniel J. Kelly—offering bribes. F. E. Luckett, ex-prosecuting attorney of Cole county—attempting to influence a jury.

Luckett, who has borne an untarnished name, and who by his reputation for faithfulness, was re-elected three terms as prosecuting attorney, got into trouble by being employed as one of the attorneys for Senator Jarvis, whose trial at Jefferson City a few days ago resulted in a hung jury.

It is alleged that Luckett approached a juror and importuned him to bring about an acquittal or a hung jury.

The most startling feature of this tale of boodle, perhaps, is the part played by ex-Lieutenant Governor John A. Lee, who escaped indictment by turning traitor to the boodlers with whom he was associated. Lee openly confesses that he was the custodian of a fund sent to Jefferson City from New York, to be used in connection with the Zeigler baking powder bill.

Lee's negotiations, so he says, were conducted through Daniel J. Kelly, said to have been the personal representative of Zeigler. Kelly is now in Canada. Lee is an object of pity and contempt.

Some of Lee's letters to Kelly, with reference to the baking powder bill, have been made public, and they reveal a startling condition of corruption in Missouri.

A Frightened Horse

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At the recent review before King Edward at Malta the pet donkey of the British warship Bacchante marched in front of the men.

The Brush storage battery patents, says the Engineering and Mining Journal, over which there has been so much litigation, expired on March 3, 1903. The patents were fundamental in character, and covered nearly all the useful forms of perforated, ribbed, grooved or studded lead plates, as well as the mechanical application of active material to them.

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Ask any intelligent doctor why you catch cold so easily. He will say, "Because you are a bit run down." He means that the force which nature placed in your body to keep out disease germs—the resistive force—is weakened. The door is open a little way toward disease.

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A cold should not be beaten back or drugged over—it should be cured, and the general health should be built up.

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THE W. C. T. U.

At the last meeting of the W. C. T. U. the devotional was in charge of Mrs. Patt, and the Scriptural reading was the second chapter of Luke. This being mothers' meeting, a splendid program was rendered, those taking part in it being Mrs. Patt, Mrs. Gabree, Mrs. Hillis, Mrs. Teeter and Miss Alice Burr. Christmas being so near, the subjects discussed were along that line, all realizing that another year with its sun-light and shadows, its conflicts and victories, its joys and sorrows and service has passed away forever, to be

numbered from henceforth in the countless ages of eternity. When the veil of death has been drawn between us and a mother, how quick-sighted do we become to her merits and how bitterly do we remember every word or look of unkindness which may have escaped us. "A good boy generally makes a good man," said the mother of George Washington; "George was always a good boy." Here we see one of the secrets of his greatness. George Washington had a mother who made him a good boy. She, in a measure, formed the character of the hero and statesman. A dear mother is the first to fold and rock our puny forms, the last to desert our clay cold dust. Disappoint not her hopes. Do not compel

her to wish God would hide her in the grave. Finally imprint on your mind the words of the wise man, "He that is obedient unto the Lord will be a comfort to his mother." His heart may break, but it cannot cease to love him. When stretched on a bed of pain, crying, friends who dare not and care not to approach him, one nurse will be seen attending him. She prays for his life, and if that may not be, for his happiness in the life to come. He dies. The shock, perhaps, deprives her of life, or, if not, she lives as one desolate and alone, anxiously looking forward to that world where she may meet her darling child, never to part again. Such is mother's love. Forget not, then, the sorrows of thy dear mother.

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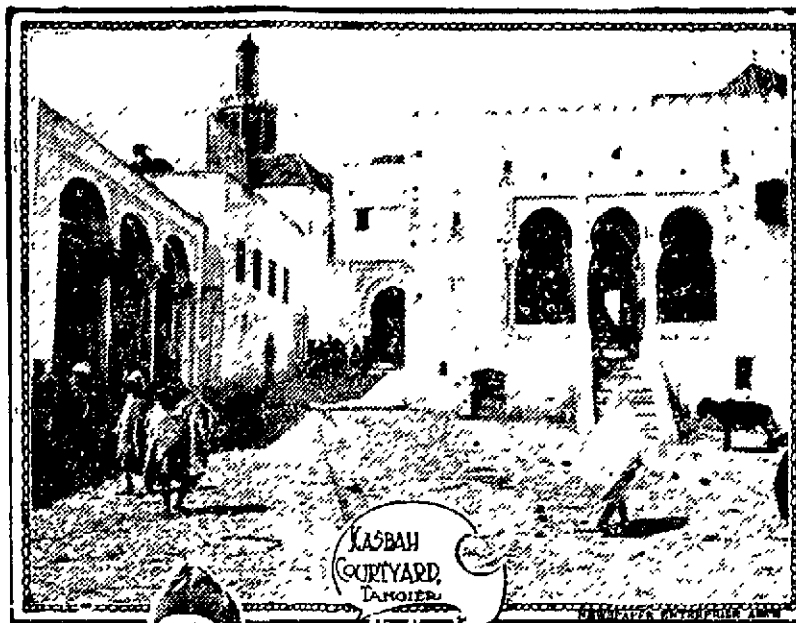
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THE MOROCCAN POLICE COURT IN THE PORCH OF THE PALACE—
PRISONERS STARVE IN JAIL OR SUFFER MUTILATION.



court eternally low as they make their remarks. The deliberations are conducted with leisure. The strenuous life is not popular in Morocco, except for brief spells, when donkey drivers see big backsheesh bulging in the unbeliever's pocket. The prisoner is brought to the steps, where he bawls low. His offenses are recounted and the lieutenant governor gives judgment. This may be anywhere between mere imprisonment and mutilation, according to the depth of the offense, the temper of the governor, or the "pull" of the prosecutor. As you go about Tangier you meet with startling frequency beings with an eye, an ear or a limb missing. These have been dealt with in that quiet, shady orchard in the Kasbah yard. Years ago it was very much worse, and the improvement is due in a very great measure to an American-Greek named Ion Perdicaris, son of a late American consul general at Athens.

Mr. Perdicaris studied art in various capitals, lived for a time in America, married an English wife, and finally settled in Tangier. He is president of the hygienic commission of Tangier. The commission is composed of delegates from the legations and an equal number of members elected by those who voluntarily subscribe toward the cleansing and lighting of the town. The sultan contributes an annual subvention and the commission is allowed to levy a tax on the slaughter houses and landing pier. Later on it is hoped to introduce a tax on house property. Mr. Perdicaris is the richest man in Tangier and has such influence with the people that the authorities have to be civil to him. But his popularity causes such jealousy that his good work is secretly much hindered by the Moorish officials. Mr. Perdicaris is known locally as the "king of Tangier," and lives in a fine house on the hills behind the town.

The prison is just across the yard from the court—perhaps 50 yards away. It is quite easy to see inside, though the sensitive in eye or nose actually take good advice and stay outside. The entrance is crowded with dreamy old fellows, whose principal activity seems to be holding out the palm for backsheesh. This is a practice in which Tangier generally is expert. It is one large yellow, itching palm.

In the wall on the right-hand side of the entrance hall are large slits through which you can see the prisoners inside. They are chained by one leg; otherwise they are free. Some are maimed, but the lot of most of them seems to be worst on the side of inadequate comfort and sanitation.

From the corner of the yard just below the court Tangier may be seen below—a dazzling mass of white walls relieved by sparkling minarets. Up the steep path the husky-looking guards bring their unwilling guests. The gentleman in the Irish whisker, whose portrait accompanies this article, is a good specimen of his kind. He is as grim as he looks, and his mien is full of vigor.

NEXT AMERICAN CUP CHALLENGER WILL BE IRISH THROUGH AND THROUGH

THE HON RUPERT GUINNESS, OF DUBLIN ALE FAME, WILL GO AFTER THE MUG IF SIR THOS. LIPTON DOES NOT.

Dublin, Dec. 19.—Ireland seems to be indefatigable in its efforts to lift the America's cup, and the Royal Ulster Yacht club still hopes that the trophy may adorn the special room which



they have constructed to receive it. Fearing that Sir Thomas Lipton, in face of recent pronouncements, would not again enter to contest the club has been looking around for a likelier

challenger, and now the Hon. Rupert Guinness, son and heir of Lord Iveagh, the millionaire brewer of Dublin, has practically consented to come to the aid of the club, of which he is one of the most liberal supporters on certain conditions.

He insists that the challenging yacht be built in Ireland and that it be manned as far as possible by Irishmen. If the Royal Ulster people can guarantee this he is ready with the necessary money. He wants the challenge to be purely an Irish one. It is therefore possible that Ireland & Wolf, the big transatlantic shipbuilders of Belfast will launch the next challenger.

A Consumptive's Life Insured.

Robert Auton, Once Rejected, Now Accepted.

Thousands of American men—heads of families—have been rejected by life insurance companies because of catarrhal or lung troubles. The horror of such a situation cannot be appreciated by one who has not endured the experience. Nearly every man is an optimist so far as his health is concerned—the head of the family toils away at his day's work, and absolutely refuses to believe that his system will ever break down. The day comes when the medical examiner advises the life insurance company to decline to insure him—the awful tide of reflections that follows the realization of his actual condition is beyond description.

Robert Auton, of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, passed through this terrible experience. He tried Prof. Hoff's Cure for Consumption, and a year later was accepted by the great Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. after a rigid examination by the very physician who treated him without success.

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Mr. Hammann's case has already been made famous by the newspapers. Mr. Auton tells of his own case in the following letter:

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Every person here, without exception, who is using the medicine is being benefited by it, and know it and say so. Three who tried it came to me in less than a week and said that they noticed a relief from it, and it did them a great deal of good.

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ROBT. AUTON, 5 So. Catherine Street, Mt. Vernon, O.

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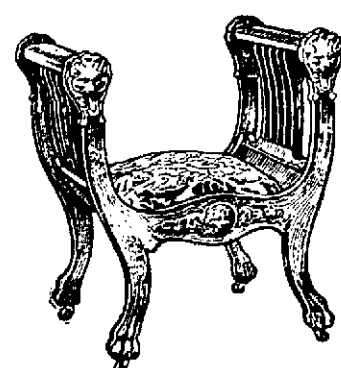
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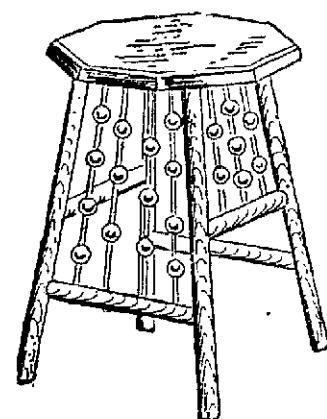
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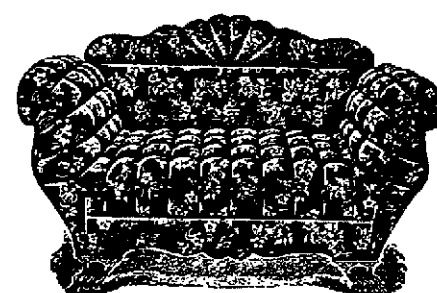


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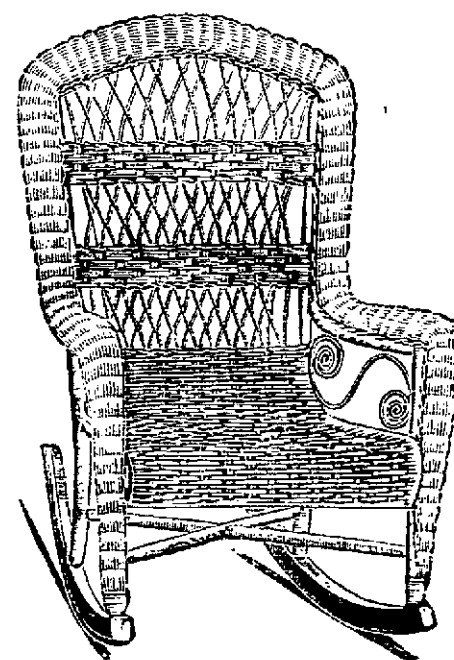


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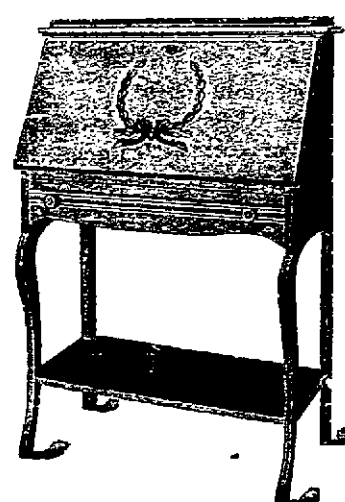
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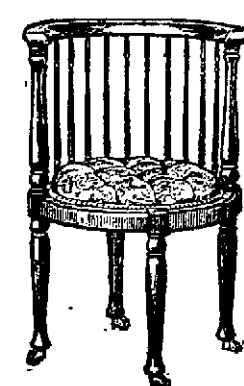


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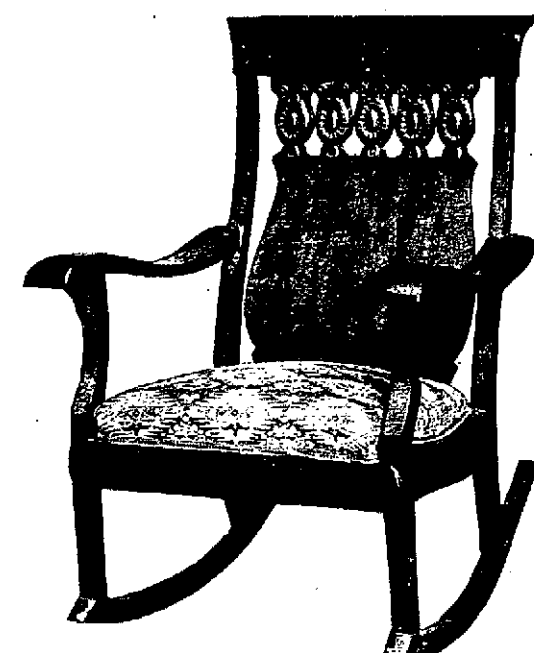
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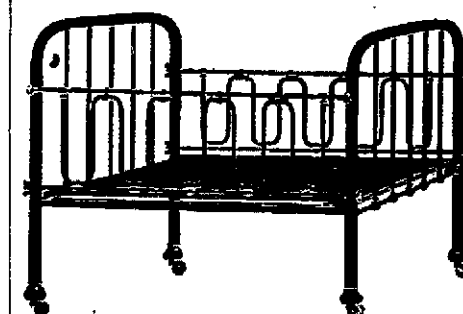
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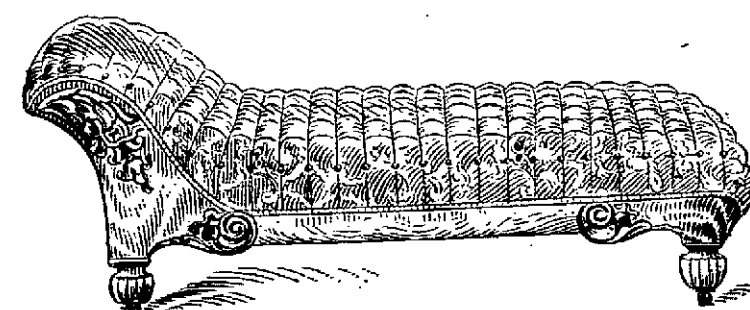


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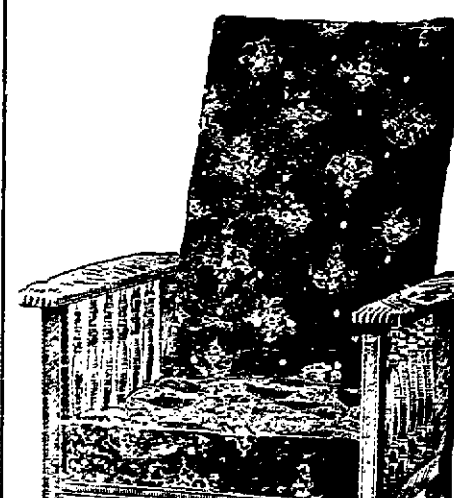
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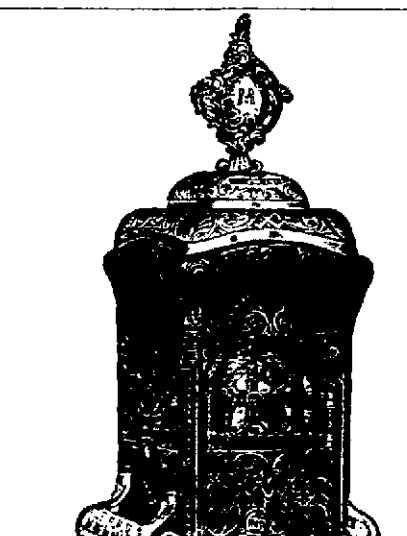


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